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ABSTRACT

This report presents the results of the U.S. Geological Survey's analytical evaluation program for six standard reference samples--T-121 (trace constituents), M-124 (major constituents), N-36 (nutrients), N-37 (nutrients), P-19 (low ionic strength), and Hg-15 (mercury)--that were distributed in October 1992 to 174 laboratories registered in the U.S. Geological Survey sponsored interlaboratory testing program. Analytical data that were received from 130 of the laboratories were evaluated with respect to: overall laboratory performance and relative laboratory performance for each analyte in the six reference samples. Results of these evaluations are presented in tabular form. Also presented are tables and graphs summarizing the analytical data provided by each laboratory for each analyte in the six standard reference samples. The most probable value for each analyte was determined using nonparametric statistics.

INTRODUCTION

The U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) conducts an interlaboratory evaluation program semiannually. This program provides a variety of reference materials to accomplish quality assurance testing of laboratories and to provide an adequate supply of samples that contribute to quality control programs of participating laboratories. Natural-matrix reference materials are preferred for use in this interlaboratory evaluation program. A series of samples are prepared and distributed each spring and fall. Occasionally, sediment samples are provided.

The program began in 1962 with a single sample containing major constituents that was prepared from distilled water and reagent grade chemicals. Twenty-three USGS laboratories participated in the 1962 determinations of six analytes in the major standard reference sample (SRS). Since that time, objectives of the program have been to:

- (1) evaluate and improve the performance of USGS and other participating laboratories;
- (2) provide a library of carefully prepared, homogeneous, stable reference materials for use in the quality control programs of laboratories;
- (3) identify analytical problem areas;
- (4) identify quality assurance needs with respect to environmental analyses and develop new reference materials to meet these needs; and
- (5) ascertain the accuracy and precision of analytical methods.

One hundred seventy-four USGS and non-USGS laboratories are registered in the program, which can currently provide eight standard reference sample types:

1. Trace constituents.
2. Major constituents.
3. Nutrients.
4. Low ionic strength.
5. Mercury.
6. Water and suspended sediment mixtures for trace metals.
7. Acid mine drainage
8. Sediment (bed material) for major and trace constituents.

When sufficient data are available, a most probable value is statistically determined for each analyte in the SRS.

Though this is not a laboratory certification program, participation in this continuing quality assurance program is mandatory for all laboratories providing water-analyses data for USGS data storage or use (publications). Federal, State, municipal, and university laboratories can participate even though they do not provide data to the USGS. Analyses of these SRS provides the means to alert participating laboratories of possible deficiencies in their analytical operations, and also provides reference materials for in-house quality control programs. Participating laboratories are identified only by a confidential code number.

A library of SRS, from previous evaluations, are available on request. Participating laboratories can request previous SRS for further testing, continuing quality assurance, and quality control programs by contacting:

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U.S. Geological Survey
Branch of Quality Assurance
Denver Federal Center
Box 25046 MS 401
Denver, CO 80225

Purpose and Scope

This report summarizes the analytical results submitted by 130 of the 149 laboratories (table 1) that requested and were shipped SRS for the October 1992 evaluation. Not all SRS are requested, nor necessarily analyzed by all the laboratories; nor do all laboratories enrolled in the program participate in each evaluation. Analytical results for the following, which were mailed the week of October 13, 1992, are presented in this report:

T-121	Trace constituents
M-124	Major constituents
N-36	Nutrients--low level concentrations (analytes < 0.5 milligrams per Liter)
N-37	Nutrients--high level concentrations (analytes > 0.5 milligrams per Liter)
P-19	Low ionic strength (precipitation)
Hg-15	Mercury

The USGS requested that analytical results be returned by November 30, 1992, for evaluation and preparation of this report. Each participating laboratory is requested to perform those determinations routinely made on the respective SRS for USGS investigations and to indicate the analytical method used to determine the concentration of each analyte. When analytical-method information was provided, it has been included in the respective data table. The analytical data are presented in ways that allow participants to evaluate data distribution, scatter, outliers, central tendency, bias, skewness, and method relationships.

Table 1.--Laboratory participants in the analyses of standard reference samples distributed in October 1992

State	City	Participating Laboratory
Alabama	Tuscaloosa	Geological Survey of Alabama
Alaska	Soldotna	Alaska Department of Game and Fish
Arizona	Yuma	Burns and Roe Services Corporation
Arkansas	Arkadelphia	Ouachita Baptist University
	Little Rock	Arkansas Department of Pollution Control and Ecology
California	Castaic	Castaic Chemical Laboratory, Department of Water Resources
	Davis	University of California - Davis
	La Mesa	San Diego Water Utility
	La Verne	Metropolitan Water District of Southern California
	Lakeside	Helix Water District
	Martinez	Central Contra Costa Sanitary District
	Oakland	East Bay Municipal Utility District
	Riverside	University of California - Riverside
	Riverside	USDA Department of Forestry
	Sacramento	Anlab
	Sacramento	US Bureau of Reclamation
	Sacramento	USGS
	Santa Fe Springs	West Coast Analytical Service, Inc.
	West Sacramento	California Department of Water Resources
Colorado	Alamosa	US Bureau of Reclamation
	Arvada	USGS National Water Quality Laboratory
	Aurora	Core Laboratories, Inc.
	Denver	US Bureau of Reclamation
	Denver	Denver Water Department
	Denver	Metro Wastewater Reclamation
	Englewood	Public Service Company of Colorado
	Fort Collins	City of Fort Collins - Water Quality
	Fort Collins	CSU - Soil Testing Laboratory
	Fort Collins	USDA US Forest Service
	Golden	Huffman Laboratories
	Loveland	Northern Colorado Water Conservation
	Northglenn	Northglenn Water Treatment Plant
	Pueblo	Pueblo Board of Water Works
	Westminster	City of Westminster
Florida	Ocala	USGS
	Orlando	Orange County
	Orlando	Post, Buckley, Schuh, and Jernigan, Inc.
	Ormand Beach	Environmental Laboratory
	Palatka	St. John's River Management District
	Tallahassee	City of Tallahassee
	Tallahassee	Florida Department of Environmental Regulations

Table 1.--Laboratory participants in the analyses of standard reference samples distributed in October 1992--Continued

State	City	Participating Laboratory
Florida	Tallahassee	Savannah Laboratories
	Tampa	Hillsborough County Environmental Protection Commission
	West Palm Beach	South Florida Water Management District
Georgia	Atlanta	Georgia Department of Natural Resources
	Atlanta	USGS WRD
	Decatur	Dekalb County Water Quality Laboratory
	Tifton	USDA Agriculture Research Station
Hawaii	Honolulu	University of Hawaii - Manoa, Department of Oceanography
Idaho	Boise	US Bureau of Reclamation
Illinois	Champaign	Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
	Champaign	Hazardous Waste Research Center
	Chicago	Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
Indiana	Indianapolis	Indianapolis Department of Public Works
Iowa	Davenport	City of Davenport
Kansas	Des Moines	University Hygienic Laboratory, Des Moines Branch
	Lawrence	Kansas Geological Survey
	Topeka	Kansas Department of Health and Environment
Kentucky	Frankfort	Division of Environmental Services
	Lexington	Kentucky Geological Survey
	Louisville	Metropolitan Sewer District
Maine	Orono	Sawyer Environmental Center, University of Maine
Maryland	Baltimore	Martel Laboratory Services, Inc.
	Baltimore	Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
Massachusetts	Wellesley Hills	Massachusetts Department of Public Works
Michigan	Ann Arbor	University of Michigan - Department of Geological Science
	Ann Arbor	University of Michigan - School of Natural Resources
	Houghton	Michigan Technical University
Minnesota	Minneapolis	Braun Intertec Environmental, Inc.
	Minneapolis	University of Minnesota, Department of Geology and Geophysics
	St. Paul	Metropolitan Waste Control Commission
Missouri	St. Paul	University of Minnesota, Research Analytical Laboratory
	Columbia	University of Missouri, School of Natural Resources
	Jefferson City	Missouri Department of Health
Montana	Butte	Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology
Nevada	Boulder City	US Bureau of Reclamation
	Las Vegas	Clark County Sanitation District
	Las Vegas	University of Nevada - Las Vegas
	Reno	Desert Research Institute
	Reno	Nevada State Health Laboratory
New Mexico	Sutcliffe	Pyramid Lake Fisheries
	Albuquerque	City of Albuquerque
New York	Gallup	BIA - Navajo Area Office, Natural Resources Laboratory
	Albany	New York State Department of Health
New York	Brockport	State University of New York - Brockport
	Buffalo	Erie County Laboratory
	Grahamsville	New York City Department of Environmental Protection
	Hempstead	Nassau County Department of Health
	Milbrook	Institute of Ecosystem Studies
	North Babylon	EcoTest Laboratories, Inc.
	Oakdale	Suffolk County Water Authority
	Port Washington	New York Test Environmental, Inc.
	Rochester	Monroe County
	Syracuse	Onondaga County Department of Drainage and Sanitation

Table 1.--Laboratory participants in the analyses of standard reference samples distributed in October 1992--Continued

State	City	Participating Laboratory
New York	Valhalla	Department of Environmental Protection
	Wantaugh	Cedar Creek Projects Laboratory
North Carolina	Charlotte	Mecklenburg County - Department of Environmental Protection
	Durham	Duke University
	Durham	Department of Water Resources
	Greensboro	City of Greensboro
North Dakota	Bismarck	North Dakota State Water Commission
Ohio	Cincinnati	US EPA
	Columbus	City of Columbus
	Franklin	Franklin EOS
	Medina	Medina County Sanitary Engineer
	Tiffin	Heidelberg College
	Norman	Oklahoma Geological Survey
Oklahoma	Oklahoma City	Oklahoma State Department of Health
	Corvallis	US Department of Agriculture
Oregon	Tigard	Unified Sewerage Agency
	Harrisburg	Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources
Pennsylvania	Somerset	Geochemical Testing
	San Juan	Department of Natural Resources
South Dakota	Brookings	Northern Great Plains Laboratory
	Brookings	SDSU - Water Quality Laboratory
Tennessee	Vermillion	South Dakota Geological Survey
	Chattanooga	Tennessee Valley Authority
Texas	Tyler	Analytical Testing Laboratories
Utah	Salt Lake City	Utah State Department of Health
Vermont	Waterbury	Vermont Agency of Natural Resources
Virginia	Culpepper	ESS Laboratories
	Manassas	Occoquan Watershed Monitoring Lab
	Richmond	Consolidated Laboratory Services
	Virginia Beach	Hampton Road Sanitation District
Washington	Richland	Battelle - Pacific Northwest
West Virginia	Morgantown	University of West Virginia
Wisconsin	Green Bay	Green Bay Metro Sewerage District
	Madison	State Laboratory of Hygiene
Wyoming	Milwaukee	Milwaukee Metro Sewerage District
	Laramie	Wyoming Department of Agriculture

Preparation of Standard Reference Samples

All of the SRS used in this evaluation were prepared by personnel of the USGS in Golden, Colo. and were analyzed for analyte concentrations and physical property values prior to mailing.

Trace constituent sample T-121 was prepared using water collected from the Fall River near Idaho Springs, Colo. The water was pumped through 2- and 0.1-µm filters, in series, into a 1300-L polypropylene drum. The water was continuously circulated and passed through a 0.1-µm filter and ultraviolet sterilizer for 24 hours. Following this circulation, the water was acidified to pH 1.5 with nitric acid and then supplemented with reagent-grade chemicals to achieve selected analyte concentrations. The water was circulated an additional 24 hours

prior to bottling. Each sample was bottled after being pumped through an ultraviolet sterilizer and a 0.1- μm filter. Bottles used were new and recycled, acid leached, deionized-water rinsed, autoclave sterilized, 500-mL polypropylene bottles. Samples not mailed for this SRS evaluation are stored until requested for use.

Major constituent sample M-124 was prepared using water collected from the North Platte River near Ogallala, Nebr. The water was pumped through 5- and 0.45- μm filters, in series, into a 1300-L polypropylene drum. The water was continuously circulated and passed through a 0.1- μm filter and ultraviolet sterilizer for 72 hours. The water was not supplemented with reagent-grade chemicals to modify analyte concentrations. Each sample was bottled after being pumped through an ultraviolet sterilizer and a 0.1- μm filter. Bottles used were new and recycled, acid leached, deionized-water rinsed, autoclave sterilized, 500-mL polypropylene bottles. Samples not mailed for this SRS evaluation are stored until requested for use.

Nutrient samples N-36 and N-37 were prepared using water collected from the Fall River near Idaho Springs, Colo. These samples were prepared the week prior to the mailing for this SRS evaluation. The water was pumped through 2- and 0.1- μm filters, in series, into a 600-L polypropylene drum and continuously circulated and passed through a 0.1- μm filter for 48 hours. The desired nutrient concentrations were obtained by adding reagent-grade chemicals. The water was circulated an additional 24 hours. A number of nonpreserved samples were bottled from this solution. The remaining water was preserved with mercuric chloride, to a concentration of 50 mg/L, and with sodium chloride, to a concentration of 450 mg/L. The preserved water was continuously circulated for 24 hours after which preserved samples were bottled. Bottles used were new, amber, acid leached, deionized-water rinsed, 250 mL polyethylene bottles. (Nonpreserved nutrient sample use will not be encouraged because USGS protocol calls for field preservation of nutrient samples with mercuric chloride.) Samples not mailed for this SRS evaluation are refrigerated at 4 °C until requested for use.

Sample P-19 was prepared in a 400-L polypropylene drum using snowmelt collected near Echo Lake, west of Idaho Springs, Colo. The collected snow was allowed to melt; after which the snowmelt was pumped into the drum through 2- and 0.1- μm filters in series. The snowmelt was continuously mixed for 48 hours while being circulated through a 0.1- μm filter and an ultraviolet sterilizer. Following this mixing each sample was bottled after being pumped through an ultraviolet sterilizer and a 0.1- μm filter. Bottles used were acid leached, deionized water rinsed, autoclave sterilized, 500 mL polypropylene bottles. Samples are stored in a warehouse until requested for use.

Sample Hg-15 was prepared using water collected from the Fall River, near Idaho Springs, Colo. The sample was prepared in a 190-L polypropylene drum. The creek water was pumped into this drum through 2- and 0.1- μm filters in series. The water was continuously circulated and passed through a 0.1- μm filter and ultraviolet sterilizer for 72 hours. Nitric acid (5-percent, v/v) and dichromate ion (0.05-percent, w/w) were added to stabilize the sample. The desired mercury concentration was obtained by adding a mercury standard solution. Following an additional 24 hours of circulation, each sample was bottled. Bottles used were new, acid leached, deionized-water rinsed, 125 mL glass bottles with

tetrafluoroethylene fluorocarbon resin caps. Samples not mailed for this SRS evaluation are stored until requested for use.

LABORATORY ANALYSES

The participating laboratories were asked to determine analytes which are summarized in table 2. The number of analytes varied from 26 in T-121 (trace constituents) to 1 in Hg-15 (mercury).

Table 2.--Analytes determined in standard reference samples distributed in October 1992

[mg/L, milligrams per liter; $\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$, micrograms per liter; $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$, microsiemens per centimeter at 25 degrees Celsius]

Analyte or property	Units	T-121	M-124	N-36-37	P-19	Hg-15
Acidity	Acidity as CaCO_3	mg/L			X	
Alk	Alkalinity as CaCO_3	mg/L		X		
Ag	Silver	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
Al	Aluminum	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
As	Arsenic	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
B	Boron	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X	X		
Ba	Barium	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
Be	Beryllium	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
Ca	Calcium	mg/L	X	X		
Cd	Cadmium	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			X
Cl	Chloride	mg/L		X		X
Co	Cobalt	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
Cr	Chromium, total	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
Cu	Copper	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
<u>DSRD</u>	Dissolved solids	mg/L		X		
F	Fluoride	mg/L		X		X
Fe	Iron	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
Hg	Mercury	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$				X
K	Potassium	mg/L	X	X		X
Li	Lithium	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
Mg	Magnesium	mg/L	X	X		X
Mn	Manganese	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
Mo	Molybdenum	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
Na	Sodium	mg/L	X	X		X
<u>NH_3 as N</u>	Ammonia	mg/L			X	
<u>$\text{NH}_3+\text{Org N}$ as N</u>	Ammonia + Organic N	mg/L			X	
Ni	Nickel	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
<u>NO_3+NO_2 as N</u>	Nitrate + Nitrite	mg/L			X	
Pb	Lead	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
pH	unit			X		X
<u>PO_4 as P</u>	Orthophosphate	mg/L			X	X
<u>total P as P</u>	Phosphorus	mg/L		X	X	
Sb	Antimony	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
Se	Selenium	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			
<u>SiO_2</u>	Silica	mg/L	X	X		
<u>SO_4</u>	Sulfate	mg/L		X		X
Sp Cond	Specific conductance	$\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$		X		X
Sr	Strontium	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X	X		
V	Vanadium	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X	X		
Zn	Zinc	$\mu\text{g}/\text{L}$	X			

Laboratories were requested to identify the method used for each analyte according to table 3 analytical method codes.

Table 3.--Analytical-method codes

Code	Method
0	Other
1	Atomic absorption: direct, air
2	Atomic absorption: direct, nitrous oxide
3	Atomic absorption: graphite furnace
4	Inductively coupled argon plasma
5	Direct current plasma
6	Inductively coupled argon plasma/Mass spectrometry/
7	Ion chromatography
8	Atomic absorption: cold vapor
10	Atomic absorption: extraction [<i>specify chelating agents</i>]
11	Atomic absorption: hydride [<i>specify reducing agent</i>]
12	Flame emission
20	Titration: colorimetric [<i>specify color reagent</i>]
22	Colorimetric: [<i>specify reducing or oxidizing agent/color reagent</i>]
40	Selective ion electrode
41	Electrometric [<i>pH and Specific Conductance</i>]
50	Gravimetric: [<i>specify filtration, evaporation, and so forth</i>]
51	Turbidimetric

Participating laboratories were also asked to use the references listed below to further define the methods.

1. American Public Health Association and others, 1989, Standard methods for the examination of water and wastewater 17th ed: Washington, D.C., American Public Health Association, 1527p.
2. American Society for Testing and Materials, Annual book of ASTM standards: Philadelphia, v. 11.01, and v. 11.02.
3. Kopp, J.F., and McKee, G.F., 1979, Methods for chemical analysis of water and wastes: Cincinnati, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, EPA 600/4-79-020, rev. 1983, 460 p.
4. Fishman, M.J., and Friedman, L.C., eds., 1989. Methods for determination of inorganic substances in water and fluvial sediments (3d ed.): U.S. Geological Survey Techniques of Water-Resources Investigations, Book 5, Chapter A1, 545 p.
5. Miscellaneous manufacturer's instrument manuals or references.

LABORATORY PERFORMANCE RATINGS

To facilitate interlaboratory performance comparisons, laboratory performance ratings, based on the analyses reported for each SRS, are included in tables 4 through 10 in this report. Averages of the analyte ratings and the number of analyte values reported for each SRS are given for each participating laboratory. Laboratory performance for each analyte is rated on a scale 4 to 0, based on the absolute Z-value, as listed below:

Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 to 0.50
3 (Good)	0.51 to 1.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 to 1.50
1 (Questionable)	1.51 to 2.00
0 (Poor).	Greater than 2.00

Overall laboratory performance ratings greater than 2.4 are considered satisfactory. Overall laboratory performance ratings between 2.0 and 2.35 are considered marginal; those less than 2.0 are considered poor.

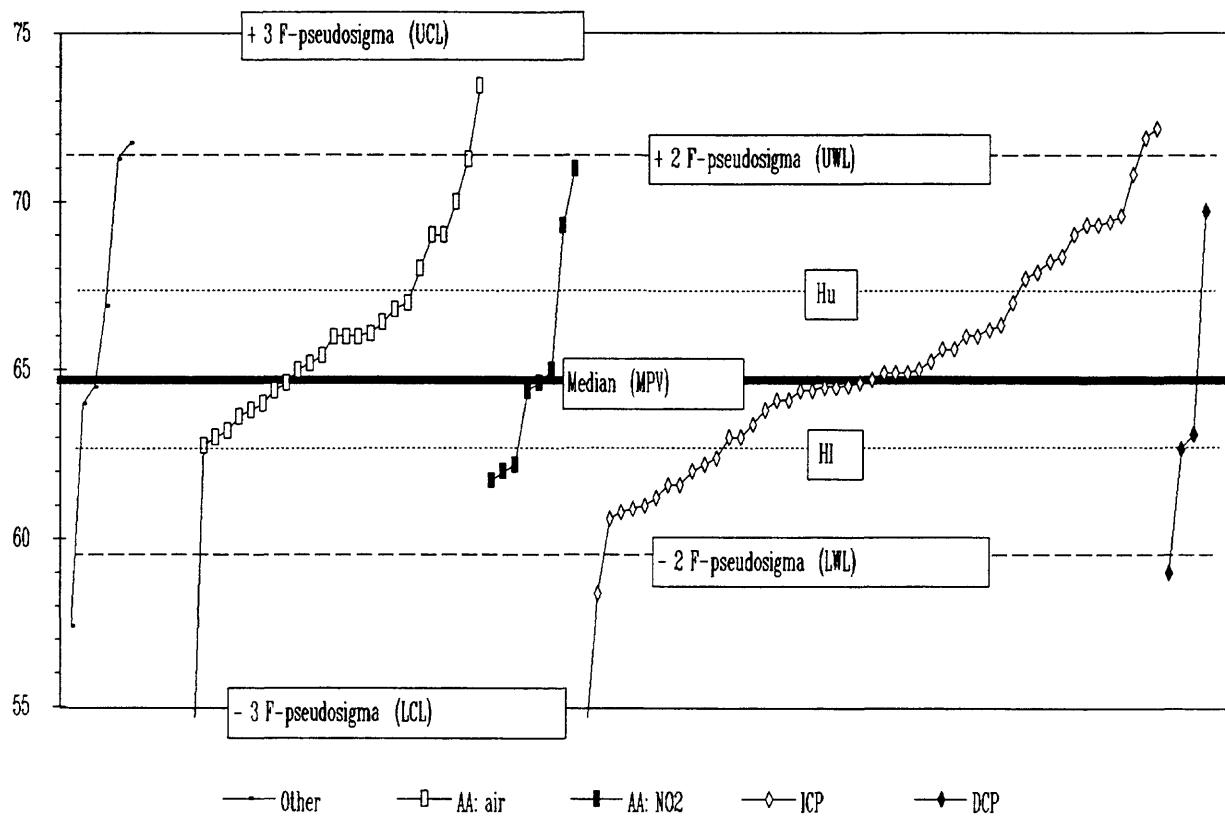
STATISTICAL PRESENTATION OF DATA

Data in this report have been evaluated using nonparametric statistics as described by Hoaglin and others (1983). This statistical approach is a resistant statistic because the median is not influenced by outliers as is the mean in traditional statistics.

Analytical data for each analyte are presented in tabular and graphical forms in tables 11 through 17. Tabulated data for each analyte include the laboratory code number, reported values, analytical method, most probable value (MPV), number of reported values - excluding less than values (N), data range, Z-value, and the F-pseudosigma. (The Z-value is equivalent to the Z-score of traditional statistics, being the number of deviations the reported value is from the MPV. The F-pseudosigma is equivalent to the standard deviation (σ) of traditional statistics when the data has a Gaussian distribution.) If an analyte has a sufficient number of determinations by a given method, usually 10, the σ for that analytical method is reported in the block of data listed for each analyte.

The median value is considered the MPV. Reported values of "less than" are used to establish the median, but are not considered in determining the data range. The median (midpoint) divides the ordered data into halves and is designated the MPV. The hinges include the middle 50-percent of the data and are the mid-values of the upper and lower halves of the data. (The hinges are similar to quartiles, but are not mathematically equivalent.) The range of data between the upper hinge (H_u) and the lower hinge (H_l), the hinge spread ($H\text{-spr}$), is used to calculate the F-pseudosigma, the 95-percent confidence level MPV, the laboratory performance rating, the upper warning level (UWL) and lower warning level (LWL), the upper control level (UCL) and the lower control level (LCL). The F-pseudosigma is calculated by comparison of the $H\text{-spr}$ value to the Gaussian distribution relation; 67.45 percent of the data "hinges" between plus and minus 1σ , resulting in a $H\text{-spr}$ of $2 \times 0.6745 = 1.349\sigma$. This relation allows the calculation of the F-pseudosigma = $(H\text{-spr})/1.349$. The 95-percent confidence level MPV is expressed as the median $+\/- (1.96 \times F\text{-pseudosigma})/\sqrt{N}$. Laboratories reporting "less than" values are not performance rated unless their reported "less than" values are greater than two Z-values from the MPV.

The graphical plot of the reported data is shown in figure 1. The upper and lower boundaries of the graphical plots generally are +3 and -3 F-pseudosigma deviations from the median. (Computer-program scaling constraints do not permit these boundaries to always be graphed at exactly these values.) The graphical plot is a modified control chart with reported values grouped by analytical method in ascending order of value. Lines designate the MPV, Hu, Hl, and the (UWL) and (LWL) at +2 and -2 F-pseudosigma, respectively. "Less than" values are not plotted.



NOTE: vertical scale is the concentration value of the individual analyte in appropriate units (see table 2.) Methods shown are defined in Tables 3 and 11 through 18.

Figure 1.--Statistical parameters shown on reported-data graphs

DISCUSSION

Users need to review the tabulated and graphical plots for individual analytes because these tables and plots give indications of the method and instrumentation precision, and help provide additional evidence as to the desirability of upgrading methods or equipment or both.

REFERENCE

Hoaglin, D.C., Mosteller, F., and Tukey, J.W., eds., 1983, Understanding Robust and Exploratory Data Analysis: John Wiley and Sons, Inc., 447p.

Table 4. --Overall laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water samples distributed in October 1992

(Lab, laboratory number; OWR, overall weighted rating for all sample types; OLR, overall laboratory rating for reported values of a sample type; V/72, number of reported values of 72 possible values from all sample types; V/26, V/16, V/10, V/9 and V/1, number of reported values possible for T-121, M-124, N-36, N-37, P-19 and Hg-15, respectively)

Standard Reference Sample		T-121		M-124		N-36		N-37		P-19		Hg-15		
Lab	OWR	V/72	OLR	V/26	OLR	V/16	OLR	V/10	OLR	V/10	OLR	V/9	OLR	V/1
1	3.5	62	3.6	26	3.4	16	3.8	5	3.8	5	3.3	9	4	1
2	3.4	11	4.0	1	1.5	2					3.8	8		
3	2.6	54	2.7	20	3.0	15	1.6	5	2.2	5	2.1	8	3	1
5	3.2	25	3.7	13	2.8	12								
6	2.5	25	3.0	9	2.6	8	1.5	4	2.3	4				
8	1.9	38	2.3	18	1.6	14	0.0	3	2.3	3				
9	2.5	32	2.4	13	2.7	10	2.8	4	2.2	5				
10	3.5	23			3.2	13	4.0	5	3.8	5				
11	2.2	59	1.9	26	3.2	13	0.8	5	1.4	5	2.9	9	0	1
12	2.5	31	2.5	10	2.6	12	2.7	3	2.6	5		2	1	
13	2.9	39	2.7	15	2.8	13	3.2	5	3.8	5			3	1
15	2.6	67	3.0	26	2.0	15	2.4	9	2.5	9	2.9	8		
16	2.6	38	2.8	13	2.8	14	2.4	5	1.4	5			4	1
18	2.7	49	2.0	22	3.2	16	3.0	5	3.2	5			4	1
19	2.8	29	2.1	9	2.8	12	3.3	4	3.8	4				
20	3.4	12					4.0	6	2.7	6				
21	3.1	8	4.0	1			3.0	7						
22	4.0	2					4.0	1	4.0	1				
23	2.6	47	2.5	20	2.0	13	4.0	4	3.2	5	3.2	5		
24	3.2	40	2.9	26	3.8	13							3	1
25	2.6	37	2.7	14	2.5	15	1.8	4	3.0	4				
26	2.5	15	3.0	4	2.3	11								
28	0.8	45	1.0	21			0.0	8	0.6	8	1.3	7	4	1
29	2.0	36	2.1	15	2.3	12	0.0	4	1.8	4			3	1
30	3.4	25	3.7	20	2.2	5								
32	2.4	44	2.4	23	2.6	14	1.7	3	2.3	3			3	1
33	2.9	37	3.2	11	2.8	12	1.0	3	1.0	3	4.0	8		
35	4.0	2	4.0	2									4	1
36	2.0	34	2.0	20	2.0	13								
37	2.8	44	3.4	20	3.3	12	1.3	3	1.7	3	1.0	5	3	1
38	3.3	26			3.0	9	3.0	5	3.8	5	3.7	7		
39	2.6	33	2.4	19	2.9	9					2.8	5		
40	3.6	14			3.6	14								
41	0.6	5			0.0	1			1.0	3	0.0	1		
42	2.8	41	3.1	22	2.3	12	3.0	2	3.0	2	2.7	3		
43	3.3	20	3.4	7	3.3	11	2.0	1	4.0	1				
45	3.3	49	2.8	22	3.7	14	3.7	6	3.7	6			4	1
46	3.3	48	3.2	17	3.0	12	3.8	5	3.8	5	3.5	8	4	1
48	2.3	50	2.3	20	2.9	12	2.8	5	2.2	5	1.1	8		
50	3.3	27	3.8	14	2.8	13								
51	2.7	32	2.3	15	3.2	11	2.8	5					3	1
52	2.8	58	3.0	23	2.9	14	2.4	8	2.1	8	2.5	4	4	1
53	1.5	2					0.0	1	3.0	1				
54	3.6	16	3.5	6	3.6	10								
55	3.0	52	2.9	25	2.9	16	3.4	5	3.4	5			4	1
56	2.7	13			2.4	9	3.3	4						
57	2.0	35	2.4	16	2.0	14			0.8	5				
58	1.8	33	2.0	11	1.3	9	1.8	4	0.0	4	3.8	5		
59	3.0	33	3.6	16	2.2	6	2.0	5	3.2	5			3	1
61	2.7	48	2.4	16	2.7	15	3.6	5	3.6	5	1.8	6	4	1
63	2.6	54	2.8	24	2.5	14	3.3	3	2.4	5	1.3	7	4	1
64	3.2	21	3.8	5	2.7	9					3.6	7		
68	2.3	47	2.1	24	2.2	12	3.0	5	2.6	5			2	1
69	3.1	30	2.9	16	3.4	11	3.0	1	4.0	1			3	1
70	3.0	38	3.3	19	3.2	14	1.5	2	0.5	2			3	1
73	2.3	7	2.3	7										
74	3.0	58	2.9	23	2.7	16	3.8	5	3.0	5	3.4	8	4	1
75	3.3	31	3.4	11	3.3	11	2.8	4	3.8	4			3	1
76	3.1	19	3.5	8	2.3	7	4.0	2	3.0	2				
78	2.1	51	2.7	20	2.0	13	1.7	3	1.2	6	1.8	9		
79	1.5	15	1.9	8	2.0	3	0.5	2	0.5	2				
80	2.4	5	2.4	5										
81	1.7	23			1.5	13	2.2	5	1.8	5				
83	2.8	23	2.7	9	3.2	10	3.0	2	1.0	2				
84	1.8	17	1.2	5	2.8	8	0.0	1	1.0	3				

Table 4. --Overall laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water samples distributed in October 1992
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Standard Reference Sample	T-121	M-124	N-36	N-37	P-19	Hg-15								
Lab	OWR	V/72	OLR	V/26	OLR	V/16	OLR	V/10	OLR	V/10	OLR	V/9	OLR	V/1
85.	3.2	37	2.8	14	3.5	13	3.8	5	3.4	5			3	1
87.	2.6	38	2.6	15	2.8	12	1.8	5	3.0	5				
88.	0.6	12					0.0	6	1.2	6				
89.	3.1	55	2.0	15	3.7	13	3.8	9	3.6	9	3.1	8	3	1
90.	2.2	27	1.9	13	0.8	5	3.5	4	3.8	4	1		1	
91.	2.9	17	3.5	2	2.8	6	2.8	4	2.8	4			4	1
92.	2.4	44	2.4	14	2.3	12	2.8	5	3.4	5	1.5	8		
94.	3.2	38	3.2	18	3.4	12	3.3	4	2.8	4			4	1
96.	3.3	33	3.5	15	2.7	7	3.4	5	3.4	5				
97.	2.6	57	2.6	24	2.1	15	2.9	9	3.1	8	3		3	1
100.	2.7	53	2.3	26	3.1	16	2.8	5	3.0	5			3	1
101.	2.9	33	3.0	16	3.1	10					2.4	7		
102.	2.6	15			2.8	5	3.0	5	2.0	5				
103.	2.0	31	2.1	23	1.5	8							2	1
104.	3.3	17	3.0	1	3.3	4	3.3	6	3.3	6				
105.	3.0	56	3.5	24	2.6	14	2.4	5	2.8	5	2.4	7	4	1
107.	2.6	25	2.9	15	1.8	6	2.8	4					2	1
108.	2.1	16	2.1	8	4.0	1	1.3	3	2.0	3			4	1
109.	3.1	24	2.7	12	3.5	11								
111.	2.7	26	3.7	10	2.2	10	2.0	3	1.7	3				
113.	2.7	42	2.6	18	3.4	14	2.0	4	2.0	5			4	1
114.	1.4	29	0.8	13	1.9	10	2.3	3	1.3	3				
116.	2.6	11	2.7	6	2.6	5								
118.	1.9	27	4.0	1	0.5	6	1.9	10	2.5	10				
119.	3.1	56	3.4	21	3.4	14	2.4	10	2.7	10			3	1
120.	2.6	41	2.1	20	3.1	11	3.0	5	3.4	4			4	1
121.	3.0	30	3.3	22	2.1	8								
122.	2.4	27	3.0	15	1.8	12								
123.	1.9	28	1.9	8	2.5	6	0.5	4	1.0	4	3.0	6		
126.	3.5	20	2.8	4	3.6	16								
127.	3.4	51	3.5	26	3.1	14	3.4	5	3.8	5			4	1
128.	1.0	1											1	1
129.	2.2	40	0.9	7	1.8	13	3.0	10	2.9	10				
131.	3.0	21	3.1	9	2.8	12								
133.	2.0	43	1.9	22	2.4	8	2.5	6	1.4	6			2	1
134.	3.3	69	2.9	24	3.6	16	3.5	10	3.6	10	3.3	8	3	1
136.	2.2	41	2.8	20	2.3	11			0.9	9	0		0	1
138.	3.4	49	3.6	24	3.2	14	3.2	5	3.2	5			4	1
139.	2.1	35	1.6	14	1.4	10	3.6	5	3.8	5			0	1
140.	2.9	33	2.9	12	3.2	11	2.0	5	3.2	5				
141.	3.1	58	3.2	25	3.1	16	3.4	5	3.8	5	2.0	6	4	1
144.	2.0	11	2.1	7	1.3	3							3	1
145.	2.3	57	1.8	16	1.8	15	3.2	10	3.1	10	1.7	6		
146.	2.2	41	2.1	24	2.0	12	3.5	2	3.0	2			2	1
149.	2.6	28	2.7	15	2.5	6	2.3	3	2.3	3			4	1
151.	3.3	21	3.5	8	3.4	11	4.0	1	0.0	1				
153.	2.4	21	3.2	10	1.7	11								
155.	2.4	25	2.0	4	2.3	8	3.6	5	2.6	5	1.0	3		
158.	2.5	25	1.6	5	3.0	6	2.5	4	2.0	4	3.2	6		
161.	1.8	27	1.8	9	1.7	11	2.0	3	2.0	4				
164.	2.3	10	2.8	4							2.0	6		
167.	3.0	45	2.5	16	3.2	13	3.5	6	3.5	6	2.7	3	1	1
179.	1.8	23	1.8	15	1.9	7							2	1
180.	3.0	39	2.9	16	2.9	13	3.6	5	3.2	5				
182.	1.0	50	0.7	19	1.3	14	0.5	8	1.1	8			3	1
183.	1.9	25	2.7	10	1.6	9	1.7	3	0.7	3				
185.	1.7	3	0.5	2			4.0	1						
191.	2.7	22	3.2	9	2.9	8	0.5	2	1.5	2	4.0	1		
193.	2.6	15	2.5	10	2.3	3	4.0	1	3.0	1				
196.1	2.5	34	2.9	18	0.9	7			1.0	2	4.0	6	0	1
196.2	2.8	6	2.8	6			2.6	5	1.3	3	2.7	3		
197.	2.7	15					2.8	5	2.0	5				
198.	2.4	10												
201.	1.4	25	1.0	9	1.9	9	0.0	3	2.3	4				
202.	2.6	40	2.9	18	2.9	9	2.0	5	1.8	5	1.7	3		
204.	1.6	34	1.6	18	1.6	11	1.6	5						

Table 5. --*Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-121
(trace constituents)*

(MPV, most probable value; $\mu\text{g/L}$, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/26, number of reported values of 26 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Ag (Silver)				Al (Aluminum)		As (Arsenic)		B (Boron)		Ba (Barium)		Be (Beryllium)		
Lab	OLR	V/26	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	3.6	26	0.90	4	80.0	4	9.20	2	93	4	46.3	4	11.2	3
2	4.0	1												
3	2.7	20	< 5	NR	80.0	4	6.50	2	80	2	44.0	3	10.0	3
5	3.7	13			83.4	4	8.45	4	89	4	46.6	4		
6	3.0	9	0.70	3							44.1	3	12.0	2
8	2.3	18			102.3	2	4.00	0			39.6	1	12.3	1
9	2.4	13												
11	1.9	26	1.60	1	80.0	4	5.89	1	100	2	50.0	3	10.0	3
12	2.5	10	1.20	3	< 100	NR	< 10	NR					< 20	NR
13	2.7	15	< 2	NR	97.3	3	8.00	4			51.3	2		
15	3.0	26	0.61	3	82.8	4	7.00	3	84	3	45.0	4	11.9	2
16	2.8	13	< 7	NR	< 300	NR	7.00	3	< 200	NR	47.0	4	10.0	3
18	2.0	22	2.00	0			86.6	4	91	4	42.3	3	9.4	2
19	2.1	9									43.3	3		
21	4.0	1												
23	2.5	20	1.14	3	80.2	4	8.25	4			50.8	2	11.4	3
24	2.9	26	0.90	4	73.0	3	3.70	0	95	3	45.9	4	10.4	4
25	2.7	14			60.5	1			91	4	45.3	4	10.2	4
26	3.0	4	< 10	NR	< 250	NR	8.00	4	< 100	NR	< 250	NR		
28	1.0	21	< 100	NR	100.0	2	8.00	4	150	0	50.0	3	< 100	NR
29	2.1	15	0.80	4	200.0	0	9.80	1			50.0	3		
30	3.7	20	0.88	4			85.2	4			46.6	4	10.6	4
32	2.4	23	1.60	1					8.70	3			45.5	4
33	3.2	11			87.0	4					45.0	4		
35	4.0	2					8.23	4						
36	2.0	20	1.74	0	75.8	3	4.92	0			52.8	1	11.0	4
37	3.4	20	0.80	4	90.0	4	8.63	3	84	3	44.1	3	12.5	1
39	2.4	19			98.0	3	7.60	4	98	3	49.0	3	13.0	0
42	3.1	22			90.0	4	7.40	3	90	4	43.0	3		
43	3.4	7												
45	2.8	22	0.58	3	88.7	4	6.40	2	105	1	47.5	4	11.4	3
46	3.2	17	0.78	4	97.4	3	6.60	2	40	0	47.5	4	11.2	3
48	2.3	20	0.80	4	111.0	1	7.10	3	100	2	51.0	2	11.6	3
50	3.8	14	< 5	NR	85.0	4	8.00	4			< 50	NR	11.0	4
51	2.3	15					6.60	2						
52	3.0	23	< 1	NR	64.0	1	8.50	4	< 170	NR	43.5	3	11.8	2
54	3.5	6												
55	2.9	25	1.00	4	75.0	3	8.50	4	67	0	46.3	4	10.8	4
57	2.4	16	1.30	2	< 250	NR	8.00	4	200	0	50.0	3	9.0	1
58	2.0	11	1.00	4			6.10	1	88	4			3.3	0
59	3.6	16	< 10	NR	< 100	NR	7.00	3			46.0	4		
61	2.4	16	< 5	NR	70.0	2	8.50	4	92	4	42.7	3	11.0	4
63	2.8	24	1.10	3	143.0	0	8.00	4	85	3	115.0	0	10.1	3
64	3.8	5												
68	2.1	24	0.85	4	250.0	0	7.50	4			48.0	4	10.0	3
69	2.9	16	0.94	4			90.0	4	8.20	4			10.5	4
70	3.3	19	3.10	0	84.0	4	8.20	4	88	4	47.0	4	10.3	4
73	2.3	7			92.0	4								
74	2.9	23	0.59	3	77.0	3	8.60	3			42.0	2	10.2	4
75	3.4	11					7.65	4			49.2	3		
76	3.5	8					8.77	3			45.5	4		
78	2.7	20	1.50	1			79.2	4	8.00	4			51.1	2
79	1.9	8	43.00	0					6.40	2				
80	2.4	5	< 1	NR			9.00	3						
83	2.7	9												

Table 5. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-121
(trace constituents)--Continued

Analyte = Ag (Silver)	Al (Aluminum)	As (Arsenicic)	B (Boron)	Ba (Barium)	Be (Beryllium)
MPV = 0.90 µg/L	85.5 µg/L	8.00 µg/L	90 µg/L	46.3 µg/L	10.6 µg/L
F-pseudosigma = 0.36	12.9	1.11	9	4.3	1.0
Lab	OLR V/26	RV Rating	RV Rating	RV Rating	RV Rating
84.	1.2 5				
85.	2.8 14	< 5 NR	90.0 4	7.50 4	
87.	2.6 15	< 2 NR		7.00 3	66.0 0
89.	2.0 15	4.57 0	137.0 0	7.22 3	116.0 0
90.	1.9 13	0.56 3		8.70 3	80.4 0
91.	3.5 2				
92.	2.4 14				
94.	3.2 18	< 4 NR		7.83 4	44.6 4
96.	3.5 15	1.34 2		8.06 4	47.0 4
97.	2.6 24	1.02 4	118.0 0	8.62 3	44.4 4
100.	2.3 26	0.89 4	73.4 3	9.50 2	46.3 4
101.	3.0 16		147.0 0		45.2 4
103.	2.1 23	< 5 NR	85.0 4	7.00 3	60 0
104.	3.0 1				38.0 1
105.	3.5 24	1.20 3	85.0 4	8.00 4	44.0 3
107.	2.9 15	0.90 4	70.2 2	8.46 4	44.5 4
108.	2.1 8	0.50 2		7.00 3	49.0 3
109.	2.7 12			6.96 3	
111.	3.7 10				
113.	2.6 18	0.58 3	83.8 4	7.75 4	57.8 0
114.	0.8 13	< 10 NR	20.0 0		
116.	2.7 6				20.0 0
118.	4.0 1				
119.	3.4 21	1.00 4	102.0 2	7.50 4	48.0 4
120.	2.1 20	0.78 4	85.5 4	7.94 4	56.1 0
121.	3.3 22	0.55 3	89.0 4		46.0 4
122.	3.0 15	< 1 NR	100.0 2		44.8 4
123.	1.9 8			5.85 1	
126.	2.8 4	< 10 NR			< 200.0 NR
127.	3.5 26	0.55 3	69.6 2	7.74 4	45.6 4
129.	0.9 7				10.6 4
131.	3.1 9	< 10 NR	< 100 NR	< 50 NR	200 0
133.	1.9 22	3.20 0	93.0 3	7.46 4	45.0 4
134.	2.9 24	1.30 2	93.7 3	7.60 4	43.7 3
136.	2.8 20		89.0 4	8.00 4	10.7 4
138.	3.6 24	1.03 4	100.6 2	8.80 3	48.6 3
139.	1.6 14		51.0 0	8.98 3	8.5 0
140.	2.9 12				
141.	3.2 25	1.00 4	82.2 4	8.50 4	44.0 3
144.	2.1 7	0.20 1			11.7 2
145.	1.8 16		80.0 4	< 21 NR	45.6 4
146.	2.1 24	< 10 NR	103.0 2	8.00 4	10.5 4
149.	2.7 15	0.78 4	80.0 4	6.40 2	10.4 4
151.	3.5 8		80.0 4		
153.	3.2 10	0.81 4			47.0 4
155.	2.0 4				
158.	1.6 5				
161.	1.8 9		123.0 0		46.0 4
164.	2.8 4				
167.	2.5 16	< 2 NR	< 100 NR	10.00 1	11.0 4
179.	1.8 15	17.80 0		6.80 2	9.3 2
180.	2.9 16	< 4 NR	57.1 0	< 18 NR	10.5 4
182.	0.7 19	< 1 NR	< 1000 NR	8.00 4	10.0 3
183.	2.7 10		92.9 3	< 100 NR	32.2 0
185.	0.5 2		108.0 1		
191.	3.2 9				451.0 0
193.	2.5 10	< 1 NR		7.00 3	42.0 2
196.1	2.9 18	0.57 3	86.4 4	8.04 4	44.0 3
196.2	2.8 6	0.76 4		9.00 3	12.7 0
201.	1.0 9	< 2 NR			
202.	2.9 18	0.54 2	80.0 4	7.80 4	12.0 2
204.	1.6 18	1.20 3	78.8 3	6.50 2	58.7 0

Table 5. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-121
(trace constituents)--Continued

(MPV, most probable value; $\mu\text{g/L}$, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/26, number of reported values of 26 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent) 0.00 - 0.50		1 (Questionable) 1.51 - 2.00	
3 (Good) 0.51 - 1.00		0 (Poor) greater than 2.00	
2 (Satisfactory) 1.01 - 1.50		NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Ca (Calcium)	Cd (Cadmium)	Co (Cobalt)	Cr (Chromium)	Cu (Copper)	Fe (Iron)	K (Potassium)
MPV = 5.13 $\mu\text{g/L}$	7.17 $\mu\text{g/L}$	4.6 $\mu\text{g/L}$	16.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	4.80 $\mu\text{g/L}$	140 $\mu\text{g/L}$	0.45 mg/L
F-pseudosigma = 0.28	1.05	0.7	1.6	0.67	12	0.06
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	5.18	4	7.30	4	4.8	4
2						
3	5.20	4	7.80	3	< 10	NR
5	5.26	4			14.0	2
6			8.14	3	16.8	3
8	5.36	3	6.10	2	16.1	4
9	4.30	0	6.80	4	4.55	4
11	5.07	4	3.74	0	4.90	1
12	5.00	4	7.10	4	142	4
13	4.92	3	8.86	1		
15	5.08	4	6.87	4	0	
16	4.90	3	8.00	3	16.3	4
18	5.60	1	6.98	4	< 10	NR
19	4.85	3	5.50	1	20.0	0
21					6.00	1
23	4.86	3	5.72	2	140	4
24	5.23	4	7.50	4	128	2
25	5.58	1			135	4
26			7.00	4	0	
28	10.40	0	10.00	0	< 10	NR
29					< 100	NR
30			7.20	4	< 20	NR
32	5.30	3	7.34	4	< 100	NR
33	5.06	4	7.90	3	< 200	NR
35					< 200	NR
36	4.79	2	7.05	4	122	1
37			7.10	4	0	
39	5.97	0	7.20	4	0.43	4
42	5.10	4	5.20	1	125	2
43	5.10	4			137	4
45	5.04	4	7.13	4	117	3
46	5.31	3	7.10	4	0	
48	5.31	3	< 10	NR	130	3
50			7.70	3	150	3
51	5.26	4	7.00	4	148	2
52	4.90	3	10.00	0	147	3
54	5.10	4	6.51	3	160	1
55	5.18	4	4.8	4	129	1
57	5.00	4	8.60	2	160	1
58			4.0	3	640	0
59	5.20	4	7.50	4	0	
61	4.90	3	7.00	4	141	4
63	5.39	3	9.60	0	142	4
64	5.04	4	< 5	NR	148	3
68	4.90	3	7.70	3	147	3
69			4.80	0	150	3
70	5.26	4	3.1	0	140	4
73			26.0	0	145	4
74	4.80	2	7.03	4	144	4
75	4.78	2	5.05	0	< 1	NR
76			7.00	4	126	2
78	4.65	1	7.52	4	0	
79			5.40	1	120	1
80			10.60	0	< 0.5	NR
83	5.27	3			158	1
					130	1
					138	4
					0.48	4

Table 5. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-121
(trace constituents)--Continued

Analyte	Ca (Calcium)	Cd (Cadmium)	Co (Cobalt)	Cr (Chromium)	Cu (Copper)	Fe (Iron)	K (Potassium)
MPV	5.13 mg/L	7.17 µg/L	4.6 µg/L	16.0 µg/L	4.80 µg/L	140 µg/L	0.45 mg/L
F-pseudosigma	0.28	1.05	0.7	1.6	0.67	12	0.06
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV
84.	3.90	0					150
85.	5.22	4	12.00	0	< 20	NR	< 5
87.	6.40	0	0.01	0	13.2	1	< 5
89.	4.69	1	6.22	3 < 10	NR	15.0	3 < 10
90.			8.40	2	32.1	0	6.10
91.							1
92.	4.55	0	7.00	4	16.0	4	5.00
94.	5.06	4	6.58	3	15.5	4	8.00
96.	4.98	3	7.23	4	16.5	4	4.48
97.	4.92	3	5.94	2	14.1	2	4.66
100.	5.41	2	7.20	4	15.8	4	12.20
101.	5.15	4	7.70	3	16.5	4	4.20
103.	4.90	3	6.00	2	12.3	0	4.00
104.							2
105.	4.73	2	7.30	4 < 10	NR	17.3	3 5.00
107.	9.29	0	8.52	2	14.9	3	4.75
108.			8.00	3	14.0	2	6.00
109.	5.60	1	6.77	4			1
111.	5.26	4	6.20	3	16.4	4	4.30
113.	5.20	4	6.90	4	16.9	3	5.02
114.	3.00	0	< 10	NR	80.0	0	20.00
116.	5.89	0				0	150
118.							146
119.	5.15	4	7.30	4	15.5	4	5.00
120.	4.54	0	7.78	3	14.7	3	4.26
121.	5.20	4	7.00	4	7.0	0	18.0
122.	5.24	4	6.47	3	15.6	4	4.66
123.	4.98	3			16.7	4	4.40
126.	5.00	4			26.0	0	< 20
127.	5.14	4	7.10	4	4.2	3	15.8
129.	9.00	0					4
131.	4.90	3	< 10	NR	< 10	NR	< 10
133.	4.92	3	8.26	2	12.5	0	14.6
134.	4.96	3	7.20	4	4.6	4	16.6
136.	4.60	1	10.00	0	5.0	3	11.0
138.	5.26	4	8.30	2	4.5	4	15.3
139.	5.93	0	9.22	1			4
140.	5.00	4	7.60	4		3	4.70
141.	5.25	4	6.70	4	5.1	3	17.5
144.			6.30	3		2	14.4
145.	5.11	4	3.18	0	< 5	NR	7.6
146.	5.83	0	8.60	2	4.5	4	16.1
149.			7.60	4		14.5	3
151.	5.10	4					< 9
153.	5.10	4	8.60	2		16.9	3
155.	5.75	0					4
158.			6.00	2		11.4	0
161.						16.0	4
164.	5.39	3				5.00	4
167.	5.00	4	8.00	3	< 40	NR	15.0
179.	8.00	0	7.10	4		16.5	4
180.	5.54	2	6.50	3	4.1	3	2.40
182.	6.90	0	10.00	0	10.0	4	5.00
183.			9.21	1		0	132
185.						0 < 20	NR
191.	5.26	4					< 200
193.	5.15	4	6.00	2	< 10	NR	14.0
196.1			6.57	3	4.4	2	< 10
196.2				4	17.4	3	4.83
201.	2.75	0	7.50	4		4	15.9
202.	5.19	4	7.80	3		4	4.50
204.	5.82	0	6.50	3		3	14.8

Table 5. --*Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituents)--Continued*

(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/26, number of reported values of 26 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent) 0.00 - 0.50		1 (Questionable) 0.51 - 1.00	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good) 0.51 - 1.00		0 (Poor) greater than 2.00	
2 (Satisfactory) 1.01 - 1.50		NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Li (Lithium)	Mg (Magnesium)	Mn (Manganese)	Mo (Molybdenum)	Na (Sodium)	Ni (Nickel)	Pb (Lead)
MPV = 25.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	1.24 mg/L	28.5 $\mu\text{g/L}$	12.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	7.19 mg/L	8.29 $\mu\text{g/L}$	7.75 $\mu\text{g/L}$
F-pseudosigma = 2.2	0.07	2.2	1.8	0.30	1.26	1.03
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	26.1	4	1.26	4	29.4	4
2					11.5	4
3	27.0	3	1.20	3	27.0	3
5			1.25	4	28.9	4
6					11.1	4
8			1.23	4	28.1	4
9			1.20	3	27.9	4
11	11.0	0	1.26	4	30.0	3
12			1.30	3	30.0	3
13			1.17	3	27.1	3
15	23.6	3	1.26	4	24.6	1
16	< 200	NR	1.20	3	28.0	4
18			1.40	0	25.0	1
19			1.23	4	25.7	2
21						
23			1.27	4	30.7	2
24	25.0	4	1.31	3	28.4	4
25	26.4	3	1.30	3	28.8	4
26	< 100	NR			< 200	NR
28	< 100	NR	2.40	0	30.0	3
29	20.0	0			26.0	2
30	22.4	2	1.15	2	28.6	4
32	28.8	1	1.42	0	29.6	3
33			1.24	4	31.0	2
35						
36			1.24	4	26.1	2
37					31.3	2
39	25.0	4	1.23	4	32.0	1
42	24.0	4	1.30	3	28.0	4
43			1.20	3	29.0	4
45			1.24	4	34.0	0
46			1.25	4	29.2	4
48			1.34	2	40.0	0
50	< 50	NR			< 10	NR
51			1.22	4	29.0	4
52			1.21	4	30.0	3
54			1.20	3	26.0	2
55	23.0	3	1.20	3	26.9	3
57			1.10	1	35.0	0
58					27.0	3
59			1.20	3	28.0	4
61			1.10	1	30.0	3
63	26.0	4	1.18	3	29.0	4
64			1.25	4		
68	25.0	4	1.30	3	27.0	3
69			1.40	0		
70	25.0	4	1.30	3	29.0	4
73					< 10	NR
74			1.08	0	27.0	3
75			< 2	NR	10.3	3
76					12.5	4
78			1.23	4	29.0	4
79					27.9	4
80						
83			1.19	3	32.3	1

Table 5. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-121
(trace constituents)--Continued

Analyst	Li (Lithium)	Mg (Magnesium)	Mn (Manganese)	Mo (Molybdenum)	Na (Sodium)	Ni (Nickel)	Pb (Lead)	
	MPV = 25.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	1.24 mg/L	28.5 $\mu\text{g/L}$	12.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	7.19 mg/L	8.29 $\mu\text{g/L}$	7.75 $\mu\text{g/L}$	
F-pseudosigma	= 2.2	0.07	2.2	1.8	0.30	1.26	1.03	
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
84.			1.62	0	30.0	3	8.46	0
85.	28.0	2	1.26	4	24.0	0	7.22	4
87.			1.22	4	28.0	4	7.20	4
89.			1.10	1	23.8	0	6.98	3
90.					23.0	0	7.40	3
91.					30.0	3		
92.			1.25	4	26.0	2	7.45	3
94.			1.21	4	28.0	4	7.06	4
96.			1.24	4	29.0	4	7.04	4
97.			1.19	3	31.2	2	7.05	4
100.	25.0	4	1.35	2	31.5	2	7.90	0
101.			1.25	4	29.4	4	7.10	4
103.	18.0	0	1.30	3	24.0	0	7.50	2
104.							7.50	3
105.	25.0	4	1.18	3	28.0	4	6.91	3
107.			1.21	4	28.5	4	6.87	2
108.								6.72
109.	25.5	4	1.40	0	28.0	4	7.20	4
111.			1.25	4			7.19	4
113.			1.40	0	27.7	4	7.70	1
114.			0.85	0	30.0	3	5.45	0
116.			1.26	4	32.0	1	7.10	4
118.								
119.			1.29	3	28.0	4	7.05	4
120.			0.98	0	26.3	3	6.69	1
121.	25.0	4	1.20	3	27.0	3	13.0	3
122.			1.23	4	25.4	2	7.20	4
123.			1.12	1			7.38	3
126.			1.20	3			7.35	3
127.	27.6	2	1.18	3	28.7	4	6.94	3
129.			65.00	0	20.0	0	6.80	2
131.	< 50	NR	1.32	2	< 10	0	< 100	NR
133.			1.07	0	28.5	4	6.9	0
134.	32.8	0	1.21	4	24.0	0	7.00	3
136.			1.20	3	30.0	3	7.00	3
138.			1.24	4	28.2	4	11.8	4
139.			1.28	3	31.0	2	7.16	4
140.			1.20	3	28.1	4	6.66	1
141.			1.25	4	28.6	4	7.00	3
144.							7.26	4
145.	14.9	0	1.10	1	27.7	4	8.00	4
146.			1.36	1	31.3	2	7.18	4
149.					29.0	4	7.78	1
151.			1.20	3			15.7	0
153.			1.20	3	24.9	1	10.9	3
155.			1.11	1				
158.					21.0	0		
161.								6.70
164.			1.26	4			7.78	1
167.			1.20	3			7.20	4
179.			1.80	0	11.0	0	5.10	0
180.			1.31	3	31.1	2	6.60	2
182.	< 1	0	1.10	1	20.0	0	7.34	3
183.							50.0	0
185.							6.00	0
191.			1.30	3	30.0	3	10.40	1
193.			1.38	1			7.30	4
196.1					31.1	2	8.80	0
196.2							10.5	3
201.			2.24	0			7.79	4
202.			1.30	3	28.0	4	6.45	0
204.			1.51	0	32.5	1	8.40	4
							15.10	0
							9.70	2
							4.30	0

Table 5. --*Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituents)*--Continued

(MPV, most probable value; $\mu\text{g/L}$, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/26, number of reported values of 26 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Sb (Antimony)	Se (Selenium)	SiO ₂ (Silica)	Sr (Strontium)	V (Vanadium)	Zn (Zinc)
MPV = 7.61 $\mu\text{g/L}$	8.12 $\mu\text{g/L}$	4.64 mg/L	44.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$	4.00 $\mu\text{g/L}$	18.0 $\mu\text{g/L}$
F-pseudosigma = 1.20	1.41	0.26	4.9	0.76	2.7
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV
1	10.90	0	8.80	4	4.66
2				4.77	4
3	9.60	1	6.90	3	4.70
5			< 40	NR	4.73
6					4
8			5.00	0	4.44
9					4.10
11	11.30	0	5.30	0	4.10
12	< 100	NR	9.00	3	50.0
13			8.50	4	4.00
15	3.35	0	8.08	4	20.0
16	< 60	NR	7.00	3	< 20
18			10.10	2	18.0
19					12.6
21					1
23	9.78	1	3.11	0	15.2
24	4.70	0	10.40	1	17.1
25				4.95	4
26			9.00	3	17.9
28	< 100	NR	8.00	4	4
29			4.25	2	< 250
30	7.60	4	9.40	3	NR
32	8.40	3	8.37	4	< 100
33					NR
35			5.60	0	< 250
36	9.51	1	8.13	4	NR
37	7.53	4	7.01	3	30.0
39					0
42			4.34	2	17.0
43			9.70	2	4
45	7.61	4	4.70	4	4.03
46			7.66	4	4
48	4.80	0	8.70	4	16.6
50			7.00	3	3
51			8.00	4	19.0
52	7.13	4	4.65	4	4
54			8.22	4	16.6
55	6.10	2	3.00	0	3
57	< 10	NR	10.40	1	17.9
58			8.00	4	4
59	8.00	4	4.99	2	50.0
61	< 50	NR	7.80	4	4
63	7.50	4	2.20	0	< 5
64			7.30	3	NR
68	6.50	3	4.64	4	18.0
69			8.70	4	4
70			4.41	3	17.0
73			8.40	4	4
74	7.50	4	4.88	3	18.5
75			8.20	4	4
			8.12	4	16.6
76			4.68	4	3
78	8.60	3	9.05	3	16.6
79			6.70	2	3
80			10.00	2	17.5
83			9.00	3	16.0
					9.2
					0

Table 5. --*Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituents)--Continued*

Analyte	Sb (Antimony)	Se (Selenium)	SiO ₂ (Silica)	Sr (Strontium)	V (Vanadium)	Zn (Zinc)
MPV	7.61 μg/L	8.12 μg/L	4.64 mg/L	44.0 μg/L	4.00 μg/L	18.0 μg/L
F-pseudosigma	1.20	1.41	0.26	4.9	0.76	2.7
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
84.						
85.	4.00	0	8.10	4		16.2
87.	8.00	4	8.20	4		19.0
89.			7.63	4		< 40
90.			11.30	0		NR
91.						17.0
92.						4
94.			7.73	4		14.0
96.			9.07	3		24.0
97.	7.06	4	9.00	3		22.0
100.	12.00	0	5.00	0		16.4
101.						3
103.						25.5
104.						0
105.	7.90	4	8.44	4		16.0
107.			12.40	0		3
108.			6.80	3		
109.			7.00	3		
111.						18.6
113.			7.70	4		4
114.	150	0				26.0
116.						0
118.						3
119.	7.90	4	7.10	3		20.0
120.	6.98	3	15.70	0		4
121.						13.6
122.			7.25	3		1
123.						22.0
126.						17.8
127.	7.00	4	7.51	4		0
129.						25.2
131.	< 50	NR	< 100	NR		19.5
133.	5.50	1	5.90	1		3
134.			8.20	4		16.0
136.	7.00	4	9.00	3		3
138.	6.60	3	8.80	4		15.0
139.			11.02	0		2
140.						19.5
141.	8.20	4	9.00	3		3
144.						0
145.						23.6
146.	7.73	4	5.40	1		19.0
149.	7.00	4	6.20	2		4
151.						0
153.						2
155.						15.0
158.						2
161.						15.0
164.						2
167.			7.00	3		15.0
179.	8.30	3	7.00	3		2
180.	< 13	NR	< 13	NR		NR
182.	100	0	8.00	4		19.3
183.			8.30	4		4
185.						10.0
191.						0
193.			7.00	3		10.0
196.1	9.65	1	8.38	4		0
196.2			12.00	0		16.3
201.						3
202.	6.00	2	7.60	4		21.5
204.			12.40	0		2
						0

Table 6. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-124
 (major constituents)

(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/16, number of reported values of 16 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value					
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00					
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00					
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)						
	Analyte = Alkalinity	B (Boron)	Ca (Calcium)	C1 (Chloride)	DSRD			
	MPV = 234 m g/L	294 μ g/L	154 m g/L	82.8 m g/L	1309 m g/L			
F-pseudosigma = 5		34	9	2.4	33			
Lab	OLR	V/16	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	3.4	16	238	3	295	4	155	4
2	1.5	2					83.3	4
3	3.0	15	235	4	270	3	158	4
5	2.8	12	237	4	277	4	159	3
6	2.6	8	232	4			78.0	1
8	1.6	14	238	3			177	0
9	2.7	10					86.1	2
10	3.2	13	238	3	325	3	148	3
11	3.2	13	230	3	300	4	157	4
12	2.6	12	240	2			149	3
13	2.8	13	222	0			84.2	3
15	2.0	15	230	3	259	2	159	3
16	2.8	14	232	4	347	1	84.2	3
18	3.2	16	222	0	254	2	82.3	4
19	2.8	12	231	3			81.5	3
23	2.0	13	212	0			161	3
24	3.8	13	234	4	283	4	148	3
25	2.5	15	246	0	288	4	155	4
26	2.3	11	235	4			162	3
29	2.3	12	233	4	2150	0	164	2
30	2.2	5					166	2
32	2.6	14	255	0	299	4	81.4	3
33	2.8	12	236	4			165	2
36	2.0	13	233	4			161	3
37	3.3	12	231	3	262	3	89.0	0
38	3.0	9	58	0			134	0
39	2.9	9	233	4	297	4	84.5	3
40	3.6	14	238	3	278	4	101.0	0
41	0.0	1					78.8	1
42	2.3	12	234	4			1308	4
43	3.3	11	237	3			61.6	0
45	3.7	14	237	3	287	4	1285	3
46	3.0	12	236	4	114	0	82.4	4
48	2.9	12	233	4	310	4	1104	0
50	2.8	13	233	4	328	2	668	0
51	3.2	11	236	4			1310	4
52	2.9	14	236	4	277	4	1340	3
54	3.6	10	232	4			85.0	3
55	2.9	16	230	3	260	2	1300	4
56	2.4	9	240	2			80.9	3
57	2.0	14	234	4	310	4	1269	2
58	1.3	9			386	0	81.3	3
59	2.2	6					1290	3
61	2.7	15	244	1	277	4	1285	3
63	2.5	14	206	0	< 100	0	1104	0
64	2.7	9					84.0	4
68	2.2	12	237	3			83.5	4
69	3.4	11	235	4			79.0	1
70	3.2	14	230	3	268	3	1400	0
74	2.7	16	236	4	313	3	1380	0
75	3.3	11	231	3			83.0	4
76	2.3	7	238	3			83.9	4
78	2.0	13	215	0			21.4	0
79	2.0	3	230	3			84.0	4
81	1.5	13	231	3			1330	3
							74.9	0
							76.0	0
							85.0	3
							644	0
							65.7	0
							1315	4
							1290	3

Table 6. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-124
(major constituents)--Continued

Lab	Analyte = Alkalinity			B (Boron)			Ca (Calcium)			Cl (Chloride)			DSRD		
	MPV =	234	m g/L		294	μ g/L		154	m g/l	82.8	m g/L	1309	m g/L		
		5		34		9		2.4		33					
OLR	V/16	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
83	3.2	10	237	4			162	3	82.5	4					
84	2.8	8	239	3			145	2	79.6	2					
85	3.5	13	239	3			151	4	83.0	4	1307	4			
87	2.8	12	230	3			147	3	81.0	3	1287	3			
89	3.7	13	235	4			150	4	82.8	4	1340	3			
90	0.8	5	246	0			167	2			1260	2			
91	2.8	6	229	3							1276	2			
92	2.3	12	190	0			95	0	85.7	2	1293	4			
94	3.4	12	236	4			155	4	83.3	4	1318	4			
96	2.7	7	240	2					84.0	4	1315	4			
97	2.1	15	227	2			150	4	83.2	4	1317	4			
100	3.1	16	234	4	339	2	162	3	80.7	3	1304	4			
101	3.1	10					155	4	86.7	1	1284	3			
102	2.8	5							82.0	4					
103	1.5	8			220	0	148	3							
104	3.3	4	230	3											
105	2.6	14	237	4			158	4	80.0	2	1280	3			
107	1.8	6	228	2					93.6	0					
108	4.0	1													
109	3.5	11	236	4			150	4	82.5	4	1316	4			
111	2.2	10	241	2			181	0	76.7	0					
113	3.4	14	228	2			152	4	81.5	3	1290	3			
114	1.9	10	234	4			80	0	83.5	4					
116	2.6	5	218	0			162	3			1230	0			
118	0.5	6	231	3											
119	3.4	14	240	2	300	4	153	4	83.0	4	1308	4			
120	3.1	11	231	3			169	1	82.4	4	1285	3			
121	2.1	8			320	3	158	4							
122	1.8	12	113	0	290	4	76	0	78.5	1	1330	3			
123	2.5	6					156	4							
127	3.6	16	236	4	288	4	156	4	81.5	3	1340	3			
128	3.1	14	229	3	245	2	153	4	83.0	4					
129	1.8	13	237	3	390	0	164	2	78.7	1	1214	0			
131	2.8	12			300	4	150	4	81.4	3					
133	2.4	8	614	0			151	4							
134	3.6	16	239	3	284	4	155	4	80.7	3	1315	4			
136	2.3	11	252	0			144	2	83.0	4	1353	2			
138	3.2	14	222	0			153	4	82.2	4	1276	2			
139	1.4	10	23	0			169	1	70.0	0					
140	3.2	11					149	3	85.0	3	1321	4			
141	3.1	16	236	4	337	2	159	3	83.0	4	1349	2			
144	1.3	3													
145	1.8	15	226	1	327	3	152	4	83.3	4					
146	2.0	12	237	3	280	4	150	4	139.0	0	1370	1			
149	2.5	6					148	3			1290	3			
151	3.4	11	240	2			155	4	84.0	4	1294	4			
153	1.7	11	230	3			148	3	89.3	0					
155	2.3	8	232	4			170	1			1291	3			
158	3.0	6	223	0					83.1	4	1306	4			
161	1.7	11	250	0	5640	0	156	4	78.0	1					
167	3.2	13	234	4	284	4			87.4	1	1320	4			
179	1.9	7					117	0	77.0	0					
180	2.9	13	236	4	294	4	163	2	85.6	2					
182	1.3	14	250	0	400	0	182	0	85.0	3	1288	3			
183	1.6	9	222	0					83.1	4	1296	4			
191	2.9	8					149	3	81.2	3					
193	2.3	3							81.4	3					
196	0.9	7					165	2	79.5	2					
197	2.6	5	231	3					82.1	4					
201	1.9	9	258	0			112	0	81.8	4					
202	2.9	9	234	4			154	4	88.5	0	1320	4			
204	1.6	11	229	3			167	2	82.4	4					

Table 6. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-124
(major constituents)--Continued

(MPV, most probable value; $\mu\text{g/L}$, micrograms per liter; mg/L , milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/16, number of reported values of 16 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = F (Fluoride)	K (Potassium)	Mg (Magnesium)	Na (Sodium)	(total Phosphorus) as P						
MPV = 0.93 $\mu\text{g/L}$	13.9 mg/L	58.4 mg/L	166 mg/L	0.110 mg/L						
F-pseudosigma = 0.07	1.0	2.7	6	0.013						
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating						
1	0.81	1	14.0	4	55.6	2	161	3	0.107	4
2										
3	1.00	3	11.8	0	60.7	3	173	2	0.094	2
5			14.2	4	59.2	4	166	4		
6	0.87	3							< 0.050	0
8	0.80	1	15.6	1	60.7	3	176	1	0.190	0
9			12.7	2	60.9	3	171	3		
10	0.84	2	14.0	4	58.9	4	165	4		
11	0.87	3	14.5	3	59.1	4	165	4	0.110	4
12	1.00	3	13.9	4	60.2	3	168	4	0.150	0
13	0.97	3	13.4	4	63.2	1	170	3	0.100	3
15			16.4	0	60.6	3	194	0	0.111	4
16	0.92	4	12.9	3	55.0	2	162	3	0.095	2
18	0.88	3	14.0	4	58.0	4	169	3	0.106	4
19	0.89	3	11.8	0	61.2	2	156	1	0.110	4
23	0.94	4	12.3	1	73.4	0	168	4	0.100	3
24	0.93	4	13.4	4	57.9	4	166	4		
25	0.95	4	14.4	4	59.4	4	172	2	0.268	0
26	2.00	0	13.0	3	52.0	0	173	2		
29	2.03	0	14.9	3	56.0	3	172	2		
30					60.3	3				
32			13.8	4	63.8	1	170	3		
33	< 0.01	0	13.9	4	61.2	2	161	3		
36	0.90	4	11.1	0	53.6	1	173	2	0.109	4
37			13.0	3	57.6	4	162	3		
38			13.7	4	59.6	4	158	2	0.113	4
39					57.0	3	174	2		
40	0.91	4	13.6	4	60.9	3	167	4		
41										
42	0.85	2	12.9	3	62.2	2	167	4		
43			14.0	4	56.5	3	170	3		
45	0.94	4	13.6	4	60.5	3	169	3	0.104	4
46	0.93	4	14.3	4	56.6	3			0.103	3
48			13.8	4	59.0	4	136	0	0.110	4
50	1.00	3	13.0	3	64.0	0	168	4		
51			14.4	4	61.0	3	165	4		
52			13.3	3	57.8	4	166	4		
54	0.91	4	13.7	4	57.0	3	165	4		
55	0.95	4	14.5	3	61.2	2	165	4	0.110	4
56			14.8	3	53.4	1	148	0		
57	0.98	3	18.0	0	58.0	4	172	2	0.300	0
58			12.5	2	61.8	2	248	0	0.108	4
59			14.6	3	65.0	0	177	1		
61	0.93	4	14.2	4	54.0	1	163	3	0.103	3
63	0.95	4	12.8	2	57.3	4	151	0	0.105	4
64			12.5	2	62.5	2	175	2	0.120	3
68			12.0	1	54.0	1	160	2	0.114	4
69	0.92	4	14.0	4	56.2	3	157	2		
70	0.89	3	14.0	4	61.0	3	164	4		
74	0.91	4	14.2	4	55.0	2	177	1	0.114	4
75			13.4	4	57.8	4	170	3	0.097	3
76	0.85	2								
78	0.92	4	14.0	4	57.2	4	149	0	0.131	1
79										
81	0.81	1	14.7	3	61.7	2	172	2	0.358	0

Table 6. --*Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituents)--Continued*

Analyte = F MPV = 0.93 mg/L F-pseudosigma = 0.07	(Fluoride)	K (Potassium)	Mg (Magnesium)	Na (Sodium)	(total Phosphorus) as P			
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
83	0.99	3	14.7	3	60.0	3	177	1
84					55.9	3	167	4
85	1.00	3	13.9	4	58.3	4	162	3
87			13.6	4	57.6	4	166	4
89	0.93	4	13.2	3	57.9	4	161	3
90							0.100	3
91	0.95	4					0.220	0
92			12.0	1	55.0	2	152	0
94	0.86	3	12.9	3	59.2	4	166	4
96	1.00	3					0.104	4
97	5.19	0	12.9	3	61.2	2	168	4
100	0.86	3	13.6	4	62.9	1	176	1
101			13.9	4	58.0	4	166	4
102							0.074	0
103			12.0	1	60.0	3	163	3
104							< 0.1	NR
105	0.83	2	12.1	1	53.9	1	181	0
107	1.01	2					0.114	4
108							0.118	3
109	0.91	4	13.9	4	56.3	3	160	3
111			16.2	0	61.0	3	170	3
113	0.89	4	13.9	4	58.4	4	166	4
114			60.0	0	40.0	0	82	0
116					59.0	4	162	3
118							0.110	4
119	0.88	3	13.0	3	57.0	3	168	4
120	0.98	3	14.5	3	59.5	4	172	3
121	13.90	0	59.0	0	167.0	0	0.100	3
122	0.93	4	11.7	0	52.5	0	172	3
123			13.4	4	70.5	0	168	4
127	0.93	4	13.7	4	57.8	4	165	4
128	0.88	3	13.0	3	56.8	3	164	4
129	0.53	0	14.0	4	57.0	3	159	2
131	1.10	0	10.0	0	60.6	3	167	4
133			17.0	0	57.9	4	163	4
134	0.81	1	14.0	4	59.0	4	168	4
136			15.8	1	60.0	3	170	3
138	0.83	2	13.2	3	58.3	4	166	4
139			15.4	2	57.6	4	156	1
140	0.96	4	13.7	4	58.0	4	165	4
141	0.93	4	13.8	4	59.0	4	165	4
144							0.120	3
145	1.71	0	13.2	3	57.2	4	166	4
146			75.0	0	58.0	4	160	2
149	0.92	4	13.9	4	33.7	0	175	1
151			13.4	4	57.2	4	161	3
153	1.08	0	14.0	4	59.0	4	170	3
155					44.3	0		0.325
158								0.098
161	0.87	3			58.3	4		3
167	0.88	3	13.2	3	57.6	4	166	4
179			14.0	4	69.0	0	166	4
180	0.98	3	14.1	4	60.2	3	154	0
182	1.16	0	5.1	0	58.0	4	150	0
183	1.10	0					278	0
191			13.9	4	57.8	4	155	1
193								0.108
196	0.73	0	17.7	0	65.5	0	159	2
197			15.8	1	89.4	0	163	4
201			14.5	3	58.5	4		0.114
202			16.0	0	69.0	0	163	3
204								0.100
								0.088
								1

Table 6. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-124
(major constituents)--Continued

(MPV, most probable value; $\mu\text{g/L}$, micrograms per liter; mg/L , milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/16, number of reported values of 16 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = pH			SiO ₂ (Silica)		SO ₄ (Sulfate)		Sp Cond		Sr (Strontium)		V (Vanadium)	
MPV	F-pseudosigma	Lab	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV
8.47	0.08	1	2	18.7	3	619	4	1753	4	1684	4	6.5
8.53	1.1	2	3	10.3	0	23	88			99	3	7.5
8.43	2	3	4	19.7	4	621	4	1670	3	1650	4	3.0
8.34	1	5	1	19.8	4	644	2	1340	0			NR
8.50	4	6				593	2	1737	4			
8.33	1	8	1	21.3	1	665	1	1700	4	1748	3	
		9		19.7	4	634	3	1801	3	1520	1	
8.50	4	10	4	20.7	2	609	3	1758	4			
8.43	4	11	4	9.7	0	612	4	1664	3			
8.50	4	12				534	0	1740	4			
8.54	3	13	3	19.9	4	597	2	1700	4			
8.28	0	15	0	18.4	3	598	3	1800	3	1490	1	10.2
8.35	2	16				622	4	1766	4	1492	1	3
8.51	4	18	4	20.3	3	604	3	1623	2	1643	4	5.0
8.55	3	19				628	4	1786	3			
8.54	3	23	3	19.4	4	702	0	1652	3			
8.45	4	24	4	20.5	3	612	4	1780	4	1650	4	
8.45	4	25		24.2	0	709	0	1770	4	1760	3	
8.50	4	26				642	3	1765	4			
8.49	4	29				705	0	1770	4			
8.40	3	30				599	3					
8.32	1	32	1	24.4	0	640	3	1780	4	1745	3	8.5
8.42	3	33	3	19.5	4	609	3	1712	4	1715	4	
8.56	2	36	2	37.2	0	634	3	82	0			
8.48	4	37				625	4	1701	4	1651	4	7.6
8.60	1	38	1	19.1	4			1717	4			
8.50	4	39	4	18.2	2			1750	4	1870	0	9.0
8.45	4	40		19.7	4	624	4	1711	4	1619	3	
8.66	0	41										
8.54	3	42	3	20.1	3	487	0	1674	3	1807	2	
8.33	1	43	1	19.4	4	618	4	1770	4			
8.51	4	45	4	18.5	3	623	4	1750	4			
8.40	3	46				614	4	1750	4			
8.50	4	48	4			614	4	1805	3			< 200
8.30	0	50	0	19.0	4	625	4	1770	4			NR
8.52	3	51	3	19.9	4	624	4	1742	4			
8.46	4	52	4	15.5	0	666	1	1650	3	1600	3	12.5
8.50	4	54				634	3	1673	3			1
8.52	3	55	3	20.4	3	650	2	1880	1	1600	3	3.6
8.47	4	56				625	4	1647	2			2
8.10	0	57	0	21.0	2	600	3	1810	3			< 100
8.43	4	58	4	0.7	0			1465	0			
		59		18.8	3					1700	4	
8.42	3	61	3	9.2	0	615	4	1704	4			9.5
8.40	3	63	3	18.2	2	625	4	1700	4			15.0
8.48	4	64		26.4	0	630	4					0
8.20	0	68	0	18.2	2			1771	4	1450	0	8.0
8.49	4	69				634	3	1760	4			
8.46	4	70		18.6	3	565	0	1664	3	1680	4	< 10
8.50	4	74		20.6	2	597	2	1915	0	1540	2	NR
8.30	0	75	0	19.6	4			1750	4			5.0
8.42	3	76				595	2	1807	3			3
8.43	4	78	4	17.5	1	390	0	1761	4			
		79						1470	0			
8.20	0	81	0					1750	4	2	0	0.0
												0

Table 6. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample M-124
(major constituents)--Continued

Analyte = pH	SiO ₂ (Silica)	SO ₄ (Sulfate)	Sp Cond	Sr (Strontium)	V (Vanadium)																	
MPV = 8.47	19.4 mg/L	621 mg/L	1738 μ S/cm	1669 μ g/L	7.5 μ g/L																	
F-pseudosigma = 0.08	1.1	23	88	99	3.0																	
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV																	
83		19.7	4	621	4																	
84	8.48	4		560	0																	
85	8.51	4	19.2	4	1754	4																
87	8.52	3	21.1	1	1500	0																
89	8.48	4	19.8	4	1780	4																
				579	1																	
				628	4																	
				1690	3																	
90	8.75	0			1443	0																
91	8.44	4			1739	4																
92	8.44	4	18.9	4	1752	4																
94	8.48	4		642	3																	
				609	3																	
				588	2																	
				1748	4																	
96	8.60	1		1660	3																	
				< 10	NR																	
97	8.52	3	17.7	1	1756	4																
100	8.58	2	19.8	4	1963	0																
101	7.79	0	19.6	4	1718	4																
				1754	4																	
102			18.8	3	1702	4																
103			18.0	2	1650	3																
				1460	0																	
				< 5	0																	
104			18.8	3	1790	3																
105	8.43	4	18.9	4	1720	3																
107	8.48	4		625	4																	
				1646	2																	
108				1396	0																	
109	8.25	0		619	4																	
				1747	4																	
111			19.5	4	1730	4																
113	8.44	4	18.8	3	1725	4																
114	8.40	3		628	4																	
				428	0																	
116				1757	4																	
118	8.10	0	4.0	0	1740	3																
				1200	0																	
119	8.26	0	19.0	4	1743	4																
120	8.40	3		628	4																	
121			19.2	4	1660	4																
122	8.48	4		610	4																	
123	8.40	3		577	1																	
				1580	1																	
127	8.33	1	19.0	4	1700	4																
128	8.60	1	18.8	3	1680	4																
129	8.44	4		622	4																	
				1690	3																	
131	8.50	4	19.6	4	1813	3																
133	8.40	3		620	4																	
				1748	4																	
134	8.50	4	19.0	4	175	0																
136	8.50	4		620	4																	
138	8.50	4	20.4	3	1640	4																
139	8.46	4		650	2																	
140	8.47	4		1559	0																	
				1964	0																	
				665	1																	
141	8.30	0	20.1	3	1780	4																
144	8.55	3		625	4																	
145	8.30	0	37.1	0	1030	0																
146	8.60	1	9.4	0	1200	0																
149				671	0																	
151	8.45	4	19.9	4	1525	0																
153	8.13	0		620	4																	
155	8.22	0	19.1	4	1870	1																
158	8.47	4		601	3																	
161	8.58	2	8.6	0	1607	3																
				563	0																	
167	8.30	0	18.4	3	1790	3																
179	8.40	3		620	4																	
180	8.50	4		594	2																	
182	8.50	4		450	0																	
183	8.60	1		585	1																	
				1610	2																	
				1300	0																	
191		21.1	1	609	3																	
193				628	4																	
196				673	0																	
197	8.58	2		605	3																	
201	8.51	4		627	4																	
202	8.53	3		1589	1																	
204	8.24	0	20.6	2					1380	0					1749	4					1561	0
				1380	0																	
				1749	4																	
				1561	0																	

Table 7. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample N-36 (preserved nutrients)

(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/5, number of reported values of 5 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value									
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00									
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00									
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)										
Analyte	NH3 as N (Ammonia)	NH3 + Org N as N (Ammonia+Organic N)	NO3 + NO2 as N (Nitrate & Nitrite)	total P as P (Phosphorus)	PO4 as P (Orthophosphate)							
MPV =	0.113 mg/L	0.246 mg/L	0.182 mg/L	0.220 mg/L	0.210 mg/L							
F-pseudosigma =	0.019	0.129	0.023	0.021	0.010							
Lab	OLR	V/5	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	3.8	5	0.119	4	0.187	4	0.182	4	0.217	4	0.204	3
11	0.8	5	0.110	4	0.630	0	0.130	0	0.300	0	0.270	0
15	3.0	4	0.106	4	0.290	4			0.110	0	0.206	4
20	4.0	3	< 2	NR	< 5	NR	0.183	4	0.220	4	0.210	4
21	3.0	2			0.231	4	0.213	2				
23	4.0	4	0.121	4	< 0.5	NR	0.180	4	0.230	4	0.210	4
28	0.0	4			0.600	0	0.520	0	< 0.1	0	1.200	0
29	0.0	2					0.420	0			0.290	0
42	4.0	1					0.172	4				
43	2.0	1					0.150	2				
45	4.0	3					0.191	4	0.220	4	0.207	4
48	2.8	5	0.080	1	0.200	4	0.140	1	0.210	4	0.207	4
52	2.5	4	0.126	3	0.070	2	0.173	4			0.230	1
53	0.0	1					0.124	0				
56	3.7	3			0.150	3			0.210	4	0.210	4
61	3.6	5	0.109	4	0.271	4	0.180	4	0.225	4	0.198	2
63	3.5	2			0.500	1			0.210	4	0.220	3
68	2.7	3	0.100	3	0.390	2			0.238	3		
74	3.8	5	0.111	4	0.134	3	0.192	4	0.227	4	0.205	4
75	2.8	4	0.123	3			0.180	4	2.270	0	0.208	4
78	0.0	3					0.267	0	0.340	0	0.115	0
79	0.5	2					0.500	1	0.130	0		
81	2.2	5	0.122	4	0.168	3	0.181	4	0.505	0	0.400	0
88	0.0	3	0.065	0			0.692	0			0.450	0
89	3.8	4	0.127	3	0.232	4			0.210	4	0.207	4
90	3.5	4	0.109	4	0.204	4	0.206	2			0.205	4
92	3.5	2							0.213	4	0.219	3
97	2.5	4	0.100	3	0.150	3	0.200	3			0.230	1
104	1.0	1	0.082	1								
105	2.4	5	0.245	0	0.560	0	0.172	4	0.223	4	0.209	4
118	2.2	5	0.090	2	0.410	2	0.160	3	0.260	1	0.200	3
119	2.6	5	0.192	0	0.350	3	0.170	4	0.200	3	0.200	3
120	3.5	2	0.115	4	0.176	3						
129	3.2	5	0.173	0	0.192	4	0.189	4	0.211	4	0.212	4
133	3.3	3					0.150	2	0.210	4	0.210	4
134	3.8	5	0.100	3	0.280	4	0.180	4	0.210	4	0.210	4
139	3.5	4	0.102	3	0.145	3	0.186	4	0.213	4		
140	2.0	5	0.150	1	0.270	4	0.171	4	0.140	0	0.190	1
141	3.4	5	0.100	3	0.260	4	0.200	3	0.220	4	0.220	3
145	3.2	5	0.080	1	0.300	4	0.160	3	0.220	4	0.210	4
151	4.0	1	0.120	4								
167	3.7	3	0.119	4			0.202	3			0.212	4
182	0.5	4	0.420	0			1.200	0	0.260	1	0.230	1
201	0.0	3	0.660	0			0.270	0	0.275	0		

Table 7. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample N-36 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued

	Analyte = NH3 as N (Ammonia)		NH3 + Org N as N (Ammonia+Organic N)		NO3 + NO2 as N (Nitrate & Nitrite)		total P as P (Phosphorus)		PO4 as P (Orthophosphate)	
	MPV = 0.110 mg/L		0.209 mg/L		0.180 mg/L		0.210 mg/L		0.208 mg/L	
	F-pseudosigma = 0.015		0.091		0.016		0.015		0.010	
Lab	OLR	V/5	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
3	1.6	5	0.083	1	0.570	0	0.212	1	0.198	3
6	1.5	4	0.082	1			0.220	0	0.237	1
8	0.0	3					0.220	0	0.300	0
9	2.8	4	0.102	3			0.190	3	0.199	3
10	4.0	5	0.110	4	0.190	4	0.180	4	0.210	4
12	2.7	3	< 0.2	NR	< 0.3	NR	0.180	4	0.260	0
13	3.2	5	0.105	4	0.297	3	0.150	1	0.210	4
15	2.0	5	0.122	3	0.284	3	0.090	0	0.120	0
16	2.4	5	0.100	3	0.187	4	0.250	0	0.235	1
18	3.0	5	0.049	0	0.181	4	0.167	3	0.216	4
19	3.3	4	0.120	3			0.190	3	0.210	4
20	4.0	3	< 2	NR	< 5	NR	0.184	4	0.210	4
21	3.0	5	0.107	4	0.184	4	0.218	0	0.214	4
22	4.0	1							0.216	4
25	1.8	4	0.100	3			0.188	4	0.175	0
28	0.0	4	< 0.1	NR	0.900	0	0.620	0	< 0.1	0
29	0.0	2					0.240	0		0.300
32	1.7	3	0.082	1			0.171	3		0.188
33	1.0	3	0.120	3			0.120	0		0.230
37	1.3	3	0.195	0			0.178	4		0.565
38	3.0	5	0.207	0	0.160	3	0.181	4	0.209	4
42	2.0	1					0.160	2		
45	3.3	3					0.180	4	0.230	2
46	3.8	5	0.111	4	0.190	4	0.181	4	0.207	4
51	2.8	5	0.110	4	0.360	1	0.180	4	0.206	4
52	2.3	4	0.127	2	0.140	3	0.172	4		0.230
55	3.4	5	0.100	3	0.260	3	0.170	3	0.210	4
56	2.0	1					0.200	2		
58	1.8	4	0.124	3			0.331	0	0.203	4
59	2.0	5	0.100	3	0.400	0	0.180	4	0.300	0
63	3.0	1	< 0.6	NR	< 0.09	NR	0.195	3		
68	3.5	2	0.103	4			0.170	3		
69	3.0	1					0.170	3		
70	1.5	2	0.090	2			0.150	1		
76	4.0	2	0.105	4			0.188	4		
78	1.7	3					0.250	0	0.214	4
83	3.0	2					0.160	2		0.210
84	0.0	1	0.270	0						
85	3.8	5	0.107	4	0.180	4	0.180	4	0.217	4
87	1.8	5	0.100	3	0.310	2	0.180	4	0.156	0
88	0.0	3	0.069	0			0.688	0		0.439
89	3.8	5	0.113	4	0.152	3	0.188	4	0.210	4
91	2.8	4	0.110	4	0.170	4	0.140	0	0.220	3
92	2.3	3	0.120	3					0.234	1
94	3.3	4	0.120	3	0.200	4	0.165	3	0.220	3
96	3.4	5	0.113	4	0.181	4	0.174	4	0.190	2
97	3.2	5	0.110	4	0.150	3	0.180	4	0.220	3
100	2.8	5	0.108	4	0.330	2	0.190	3	0.210	4
102	3.0	5	0.120	3	0.210	4	0.180	4	0.034	0
104	3.8	5	0.113	4	0.190	4	0.173	4	0.213	4
107	2.8	4	0.143	0			0.190	3	0.205	4
108	1.3	3					0.150	1	0.250	0
111	2.0	3	0.094	2					0.202	3
113	2.0	4	0.066	0	< 0.5	NR	0.177	4	0.190	2
114	2.3	3	0.104	4			0.091	0	0.200	3
118	1.6	5	0.090	2	0.260	3	0.140	0	0.240	0
119	2.2	5	0.192	0	0.320	2	0.170	3	0.200	3
120	2.7	3					0.160	2	0.200	3
123	0.5	4	0.350	0	0.340	2	0.430	0	0.260	0
127	3.4	5	0.105	4	0.105	2	0.170	3	0.211	4
129	2.8	5	0.228	0	0.345	2	0.182	4	0.211	4
133	1.7	3	0.130	2	0.160	3	0.130	0		
134	3.2	5	0.100	3	0.270	3	0.180	4	0.200	3
138	3.2	5	0.120	3	0.200	4	0.170	3	0.200	3
139	4.0	1							0.208	4
145	3.2	5	0.100	3	0.210	4	0.160	2	0.220	3
146	3.5	2					0.168	3		0.208
149	2.3	3	0.100	3			0.107	0	0.210	4
155	3.6	5	0.110	4	0.175	4	0.169	3	0.209	4
158	2.5	4	0.039	0			0.187	4	0.226	2
161	2.0	3	0.186	0					0.228	2
167	3.3	3	0.109	4			0.194	3		0.199
180	3.6	5	0.119	3	0.209	4	0.174	4	0.217	4
182	0.5	4	0.400	0			1.100	0	0.260	0
183	1.7	3			0.020	0			0.220	2
185	4.0	1	0.106	4						
191	0.5	2					0.150	1		0.160
193	4.0	1					0.180	4		
197	1.3	3	0.127	2			0.162	2		0.181
198	2.8	5	0.112	4	0.250	4	0.180	4	0.300	0
202	2.0	5	0.100	3	0.220	4	0.170	3	0.130	0
204	1.6	5	0.110	4	0.390	1	0.170	3	0.243	0
									0.250	0

Table 8. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample N-37 (preserved nutrients)
 (MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values;
 V/5, number of reported values of 5 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value									
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00									
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00									
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)										
Analyte = NH ₃ as N (Ammonia)		NH ₃ + Org N as N (Ammonia+Organic N)										
MPV = 0.876 mg/L		1.10 mg/L	NO ₃ + NO ₂ as N (Nitrate & Nitrite)									
F-pseudosigma = 0.121		0.22	0.857 mg/L									
			1.19 mg/L									
			total P as P									
			0.07									
			PO ₄ as P (Orthophosphate)									
			1.07 mg/L									
			0.10									
Lab	OLR	V/5	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	3.8	5	0.876	4	1.06	4	0.853	4	1.23	3	1.05	4
11	1.4	5	0.920	4	1.52	1	0.690	1	1.35	0	1.23	1
15	2.8	4	0.772	3	1.02	4			0.56	0	1.03	4
20	3.3	3	< 2	NR	< 5	NR	0.863	4	1.24	3	1.16	3
23	3.2	5	0.910	4	1.22	3	0.870	4	1.23	3	1.17	2
28	0.3	4			1.50	1	2.700	0	< 0.1	0	5.60	0
28	1.5	2					1.050	1			0.96	2
42	3.0	1					0.806	3				
43	4.0	1					0.860	4				
45	4.0	3					0.872	4	1.16	4	1.09	4
48	2.2	5	0.610	0	1.10	4	0.780	3	1.20	4	0.10	0
52	2.8	4	0.880	4	0.75	1	0.807	4			1.20	2
53	3.0	1					0.765	3				
61	3.6	5	0.879	4	0.94	3	0.850	4	1.23	3	1.03	4
63	2.4	5	1.100	1	1.40	2	1.020	1	1.20	4	1.10	4
68	2.0	3	0.770	3	0.95	3			0.12	0		
74	3.0	5	0.938	3	1.10	4	0.914	3	1.24	3	1.18	2
75	3.8	4	0.847	4			0.865	4	1.19	4	1.00	3
78	1.3	3					1.140	0	1.57	0	1.12	4
79	0.5	2			0.68	1			0.96	0		
81	1.8	5	1.010	2	0.99	3	0.853	4	3.11	0	2.05	0
88	1.7	3	0.729	2			1.309	0			1.16	3
89	3.8	4	0.858	4	1.00	4			1.15	3	1.05	4
90	3.8	4	0.905	4	1.09	4	0.785	3			1.07	4
92	3.5	2							1.15	3	1.07	4
97	3.3	4	0.860	4	0.94	3	0.940	3			1.14	3
104	2.0	1	0.714	2								
105	2.8	5	1.050	2	1.44	1	0.790	3	1.17	4	1.06	4
118	3.4	5	0.780	3	1.36	2	0.820	4	1.20	4	1.03	4
119	3.0	5	0.820	4	1.15	4	0.970	2	1.12	2	1.01	3
120	3.5	2	0.802	3	1.13	4						
129	2.0	5	1.051	2	1.89	0	0.901	4	1.07	1	1.02	3
133	1.7	3					0.560	0	1.11	2	1.02	3
134	4.0	5	0.870	4	1.10	4	0.850	4	1.20	4	1.10	4
139	3.8	4	0.861	4	1.05	4	0.799	3	1.16	4		
140	3.2	5	1.040	2	1.29	3	0.808	4	1.20	4	0.98	3
141	3.8	5	0.870	4	1.10	4	0.840	4	1.24	3	1.10	4
145	3.2	5	0.720	2	1.12	4	0.780	3	1.14	3	1.07	4
151	0.0	1	1.630	0								
167	3.3	3	0.895	4			0.894	4			1.19	2
182	0.8	4	1.440	0			4.100	0	1.12	2	1.25	1
201	2.3	4	1.050	2			1.312	0	1.18	4	1.02	3

Table 8. --Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample N-37 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued

			NH3 as N (Ammonia)	NH3 + Org N as N (Ammonia+Organic N)	NO3 + NO2 as N (Nitrate & Nitrite)	total P as P (Phosphorus)	PO4 as P (Orthophosphate)			
			MPV = 0.920 mg/L	1.06 mg/L	0.850 mg/L	1.17 mg/L	1.15 mg/L			
			F-pseudosigma = 0.058	0.08	0.054	0.06	0.04			
Lab	OLR	V/5	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
3	2.2	5	0.873	3	1.16	2	0.837	4	1.08	1
6	2.3	4	0.900	4			1.100	0	1.26	1
8	2.3	3					1.160	0	1.19	4
9	2.2	5	0.841	2	1.15	2	0.892	3	1.16	4
10	3.8	5	0.920	4	1.06	4	0.860	4	1.19	3
12	2.6	5	0.900	4	0.80	0	0.820	3	1.25	2
13	3.8	5	0.905	4	1.11	3	0.877	4	1.17	4
15	2.2	5	0.930	4	1.02	3	1.140	0	0.62	0
16	1.4	5	0.728	0	0.86	0	1.090	0	1.17	4
18	3.2	5	0.804	1	1.05	4	0.813	3	1.17	4
19	3.8	4	0.920	4			0.860	4	1.16	4
20	2.0	3	< 2	NR	< 5	NR	0.859	4	1.38	0
22	4.0	1							1.16	4
25	3.0	4	0.940	4			0.865	4	1.10	2
28	0.8	4			1.00	3	5.000	0	< 0.1	0
28	2.0	2					0.850	4		1.04
32	2.3	3	0.792	0			0.811	3		1.15
33	1.0	3	1.050	0			0.570	0		1.17
37	1.7	3	1.030	1			0.863	4		3.58
38	3.8	5	0.948	4	0.99	3	0.862	4	1.17	4
41	1.0	3	0.950	3	3.85	0	1.160	0		
42	3.0	1					0.797	3		
45	3.3	3					0.874	4	1.12	3
46	3.8	5	0.891	4	1.03	4	0.882	3	1.16	4
52	1.3	4	0.990	2	0.82	0	0.811	3		1.34
55	3.4	5	0.900	4	1.10	3	0.820	3	1.20	3
57	0.8	5	0.820	1	1.50	0	0.530	0	1.20	3
58	0.0	4	0.765	0			1.110	0	1.02	0
59	3.2	5	0.940	4	1.00	3	0.850	4	1.10	2
68	3.5	2	0.930	4			0.810	3		
69	4.0	1					0.870	4		
70	0.5	2	0.830	1			0.740	0		
76	3.0	2	0.914	4			0.785	2		
78	1.0	3					1.120	0	1.27	1
83	1.0	2					0.700	0	1.08	2
84	1.0	3	1.820	0			1.550	0		1.17
85	3.4	5	0.900	4	1.10	3	0.840	4	1.13	3
87	3.0	5	0.850	2	1.10	3	0.850	4	1.12	3
88	0.7	3	1.071	0			1.315	0		1.19
89	3.4	5	0.910	4	0.94	1	0.861	4	1.18	4
91	2.8	4	0.920	4	1.04	4	0.700	0	1.20	3
92	3.3	3	0.950	3					1.17	3
94	2.8	4	0.950	3	1.07	4	0.795	2	1.25	2
96	3.4	5	0.904	4	0.99	3	0.834	4	1.19	2
97	2.8	4	0.980	2	1.04	4	0.930	2	1.18	3
100	3.0	5	0.934	4	2.26	0	0.876	4	1.18	4
102	2.0	5	0.960	3	1.11	3	0.800	3	0.32	0
104	3.6	5	0.939	4	1.09	4	0.831	4	1.23	3
108	2.0	3					0.810	3	1.26	1
111	1.7	3	0.982	2					1.11	3
113	2.0	5	0.999	2	0.96	2	0.699	0	1.10	2
114	1.3	3	0.816	1			0.417	0	1.14	3
118	1.6	5	0.830	1	1.20	1	0.790	2	1.20	3
119	2.4	5	0.870	3	1.03	4	1.000	0	1.11	2
120	3.3	3					0.840	4	1.12	3
123	1.0	4	2.920	0	1.59	0	2.130	0	1.17	4
127	3.8	5	0.951	3	1.08	4	0.852	4	1.18	4
129	3.8	5	0.924	4	1.05	4	0.857	4	1.12	4
133	1.0	3	0.950	3	0.21	0	0.980	0		
134	3.2	5	0.900	4	1.10	3	0.850	4	1.20	2
138	3.2	5	0.950	3	1.06	4	0.850	4	1.11	2
139	4.0	1							1.16	4
145	3.0	5	0.890	3	1.06	4	0.780	2	1.14	3
146	3.0	2					0.797	3		1.11
149	2.3	3	0.900	4			0.810	3	0.87	0
155	2.6	5	0.901	4	1.01	3	0.759	1	1.11	3
158	2.0	4	0.748	0			0.863	4	1.35	0
161	2.0	4	0.483	0			0.786	2	1.22	3
167	3.7	3	0.937	4			0.904	3		1.13
180	3.2	5	0.991	2	1.02	3	0.825	4	1.18	4
182	1.3	4	1.440	0			3.700	0	1.12	3
183	0.7	3			5.23	0			5.84	0
191	1.5	2					0.810	3		1.21
193	3.0	1					0.880	3		1.04
196	1.0	2					0.583	0		1.10
197	2.7	3	0.984	2			0.807	3		1.17
198	2.0	5	0.800	0	1.20	1	0.860	4	1.20	2
202	1.8	5	0.850	2	1.24	0	0.780	2	1.20	3

Table 9. --*Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample P-19
(low ionic strength constituents)*

(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, milligrams per liter; Lab, laboratory number; OLR, overall laboratory rating for all reported values; V/9, number of reported values of 9 possible values; RV, reported value; <, less than)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value					
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00					
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00					
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)						
Analyte = Acidity as CaCO ₃		Ca (Calcium)	Cl (Chloride)					
MPV = 3.43 mg/L		0.24 mg/L	1.14 mg/L					
F-pseudosigma = 3.54		0.03	0.19					
Lab	OLR	V/9	RV Rating	RV Rating	RV Rating	RV Rating	RV Rating	RV Rating
1	3.3	9	0.02 3	0.24 4	1.13 4	0.025 NR	0.015 0	
2	3.8	8		0.25 4	1.13 4		0.146 3	
3	2.1	8	7.30 2	0.30 0	1.30 3	< 0.1 NR	0.190 3	
11	2.9	9	3.85 4	0.22 3	1.20 4	0.009 NR	0.075 0	
15	2.9	8	3.96 4	0.23 4	1.35 2		0.150 3	
23	3.2	5	2.50 4	< 1 NR		< 0.1 NR	0.155 4	
28	1.3	7		12.60 0	1.30 3	< 0.1 NR	2.500 0	
33	4.0	8		0.25 4	1.15 4	< 0.01 NR	0.170 4	
37	1.0	5		< 0.244 NR	< 6 NR		0.330 0	
38	3.7	7	0.15 3	0.25 4			0.160 4	
39	2.8	5		0.26 3				
41	0.0	1						
42	2.7	3			1.14 4	0.060 NR		
46	3.5	8		0.22 3	0.87 2	0.013 NR	0.190 3	
48	1.1	8		0.45 0	1.00 3		0.360 0	
52	2.5	4	11.60 0	< 0.6 NR	1.31 3	< 0.1 NR	< 0.2 NR	
58	3.8	5		0.23 4			0.180 4	
61	1.8	6	1.25 3	0.22 3	0.62 0	0.015 NR	< 1 NR	
63	1.3	7	6.00 3	0.22 3	0.19 0	< 0.2 NR	< 0.2 NR	
64	3.6	7		0.22 3	0.97 3		0.150 3	
74	3.4	8		0.24 4	1.53 0	< 0.02 NR	0.180 4	
78	1.8	9	1.00 3	0.23 4	1.50 1	< 0.1 NR	0.090 0	
89	3.1	8	2.74 4	0.21 3	1.52 0	< 0.1 NR	0.185 4	
92	1.5	8	2.19 4	0.35 0	2.20 0		5.750 0	
101	2.4	7		0.24 4	2.30 0		0.160 4	
105	2.4	7	5.40 3	0.25 4	2.00 0	< 0.2 NR	< 0.4 NR	
123	3.0	6		0.25 4			0.100 0	
134	3.3	8		0.22 3	1.12 4	< 1 NR	0.330 0	
136	0.9	9	15.80 0	0.30 0	8.00 0		0.070 0	
141	2.0	6	9.50 1	0.19 1	1.10 4	< 0.1 NR	0.340 0	
145	1.7	6		0.18 1	0.99 3	< 0.2 NR	< 0.1 0	
155	1.0	3		0.75 0				
158	3.2	6	3.00 4	0.31 0	1.10 4			
164	2.0	6		0.23 4			0.106 1	
167	2.7	3		< 1 NR	< 1 NR	< 0.05 NR	< 1 NR	
191	4.0	1			1.12 4			
196	4.0	6		0.23 4	1.19 4	0.051 NR	0.170 4	
197	4.0	4			1.12 4			
202	1.7	3			0.85 1			

Table 9. --*Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample P-19
(low ionic strength constituents)*-- Continued

Analyte = Mg (Magnesium) MPV = 0.045 mg/L F-pseudosigma = 0.031	Na (Sodium)		pH		PO4 as P INSUFF DATA		SO4 (Sulfate)		Sp. Cond. 12.0 μ S/cm 1.5			
	0.060 mg/L	0.162	4.72	0.13			0.45 mg/L	0.51				
Lab	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating	RV	Rating
1	0.038	4	0.049	4	4.64	3	0.003	NR	0.32	4	12.7	4
2	0.055	4	0.066	4	4.69	4			0.30	4	10.9	3
3	< 0.1	NR	1.800	0	4.86	2	< 0.01	NR	0.50	4	11.0	3
11	0.030	4	0.060	4	5.00	0	< 0.02	NR	0.15	3	12.7	4
15	0.048	4	0.188	3	3.79	0					13.1	3
23	< 0.2	NR	< 0.1	NR	5.38	0	< 0.01	NR	0.60	4	12.1	4
28	2.800	0			4.90	2	< 0.1	NR	0.50	4	8.4	0
33	0.040	4	0.060	4	4.76	4	< 0.01	NR	0.32	4	12.2	4
37	0.138	0	0.364	1	6.04	0	< 0.3	NR	< 6	NR	11.8	4
38	0.046	4	0.060	4	4.80	3	0.001	NR			11.4	4
39	0.048	4	0.051	4	5.17	0					11.0	3
41					7.30	0						
42					4.72	4					132.0	0
46	0.038	4	0.043	4	4.68	4	0.002	NR	0.32	4	12.6	4
48	0.250	0	0.360	1	7.80	0	0.005	NR	1.00	2	10.9	3
52	< 0.05	NR	< 0.03	NR	4.78	4	0.005	NR	< 10	NR	13.4	3
58	0.028	3			4.67	4	0.003	NR			12.0	4
61	< 1	NR	< 1	NR	4.82	3	< 0.02	NR	1.80	0	10.4	2
63	< 0.2	NR	0.630	0	4.30	0	< 0.01	NR	2.00	0	11.0	3
64	0.040	4	0.060	4	4.72	4			0.30	4		
74	0.050	4	0.140	4	4.64	3	0.002	NR	0.50	4	12.7	4
78	0.460	0	0.160	3	4.79	3	< 0.05	NR	1.00	2	8.9	0
89	0.036	4	0.050	4	4.73	4	0.101	NR	< 2	NR	10.2	2
92	0.080	2	0.400	0	4.77	4	0.005	NR	1.00	2		
101	0.040	4	0.050	4	4.49	1					81.8	0
105	0.045	4	< 0.2	NR	4.78	4	0.002	NR	0.97	2	15.0	0
123	0.040	4	0.030	4	4.80	3					12.9	3
134	0.036	4	0.090	4	4.68	4	< 0.01	NR	0.37	4	13.0	3
136	0.200	0	0.060	4	4.60	3			63.00	0	9.3	1
141					4.60	3	< 0.05	NR	< 5	NR	13.0	3
145	0.025	NR	< 0.04	NR	4.10	0	< 0.01	NR	0.40	4	10.0	2
155	0.000	NR			4.30	0	0.000	NR			13.4	3
158					4.63	3			0.40	4	12.0	4
164	0.339	0	0.446	0	4.64	3			0.30	4		
167	< 1	NR	< 1	NR	4.74	4	0.025	NR	6.63	0	11.6	4
191							< 0.03	NR	0.37	4		
196	0.042	4	0.060	4					0.28	4	11.4	4
197					4.72	4						
202					4.71	4	0.011	NR			21.2	0

Table 10. --*Laboratory performance ratings for standard reference water sample Hg-15 (mercury)*

(MPV, most probable value; ug/L, micrograms per liter; mg/L, Lab, laboratory number)

Rating	Absolute Z-value	Rating	Absolute Z-value
4 (Excellent)	0.00 - 0.50	1 (Questionable)	1.51 - 2.00
3 (Good)	0.51 - 1.00	0 (Poor)	greater than 2.00
2 (Satisfactory)	1.01 - 1.50	NR (Not Rated)	

Analyte = Hg (Mercury)

MPV = 0.41

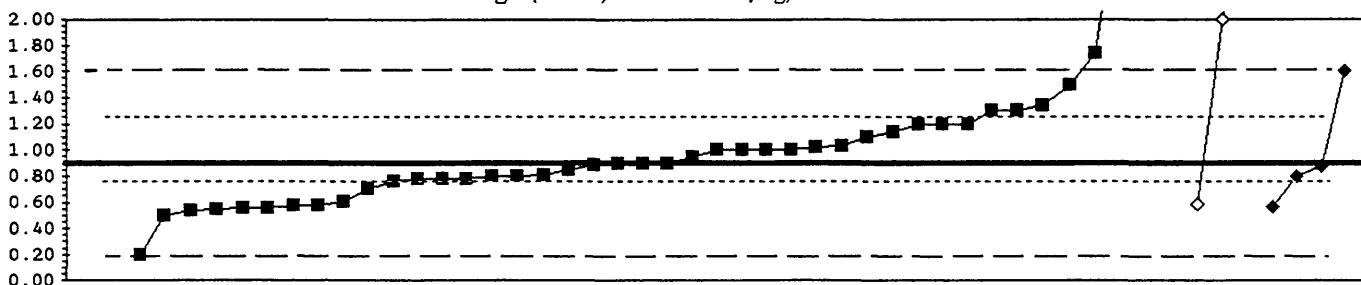
F-pseudosigma + 0.20

Lab	Rating	RV
1	4	0.34
3	3	0.60
11	0	2.00
12	2	0.70
13	3	0.56
16	4	0.45
18	4	0.34
24	3	0.30
28	4	0.40
29	3	0.22
32	3	0.57
36	4	0.49
37	3	0.56
39	NR	< 0.5
45	4	0.39
46	4	0.37
48	NR	< 0.2
51	3	0.22
52	4	0.49
55	4	0.47
59	3	0.30
61	4	0.40
63	4	0.49
68	2	0.20
69	3	0.22
70	3	0.30
74	4	0.32
75	3	0.57
87	3	0.30
89	3	0.26
90	1	0.74
92	4	0.43
96	4	0.40
97	3	0.26
100	3	0.30
105	4	0.36
108	2	0.61
109	4	0.41
113	4	0.45
119	3	0.57
120	4	0.39
127	4	0.42
128	1	0.80
133	2	0.70
134	3	0.28
136	0	0.90
138	4	0.40
139	0	2.85
141	4	0.45
144	3	0.25
146	2	0.20
149	4	0.40
167	1	0.71
179	2	0.20
182	3	0.60
196	0	1.20
202	NR	< 0.3

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sample T-121 (trace constituents)

<u>Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols</u>					
<u>Analytical methods</u>					
0. Other/Not reported					
1. AA: direct, air	= atomic absorption: direct,air				
2. AA: direct, N2O	= atomic absorption: direct,nitrous oxide				
3. AA: graphite furnace	= atomic absorption: graphite furnace				
4. ICP	= inductively coupled plasma				
5. DCP	= direct current plasma				
6. ICP/MS	= inductively coupled plasma/mass spectrometry				
10. AA: extraction	= atomic absorption: extraction [chelating agent(s) specified]				
11. AA: hydride	= atomic absorption: hydride [reducing agent specified]				
22. Color:	= colorimetric [color reagent specified]				
<u>Abbreviations and symbols</u>					
N =	number of samples				
St dev =	traditional standard deviation				
MPV =	95% confidence most probable value				
F-pseudosigma =	nonparametric statistic deviation				
Hu =	upper hinge value				
Hl =	lower hinge value				
μ g/L =	micrograms per liter				
m g/L =	milligrams per liter				
Lab =	laboratory code number				
NR =	not rated, less than value reported				
< =	less than				
<u>Constituent</u>					
Ag	Silver	page	page		
Al	Aluminum	35	Li	Lithium	48
As	Arsenic	36	Mg	Magnesium	49
B	Boron	37	Mn	Manganese	50
Ba	Barium	38	Mo	Molybdenum	51
Be	Beryllium	39	Na	Sodium	52
Ca	Calcium	40	Ni	Nickel	53
Cd	Cadmium	41	Pb	Lead	54
Co	Cobalt	42	Sb	Antimony	55
Cr	Chromium	43	Se	Selenium	56
Cu	Copper	44	SiO ₂	Silica	57
Fe	Iron	45	Sr	Strontium	58
K	Potassium	46	V	Vanadium	59
		47	Zn	Zinc	60

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued
 Ag (Silver) $\mu\text{g/L}$



0. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct N2O	6. ICP/MS
	N = 1 0 1 42 3 4
	Minimum = 1.60 17.80 0.20 0.59 0.57
	Maximum = 43.00 3.20 1.60
	Median = 0.90
	St Dev = 0.31

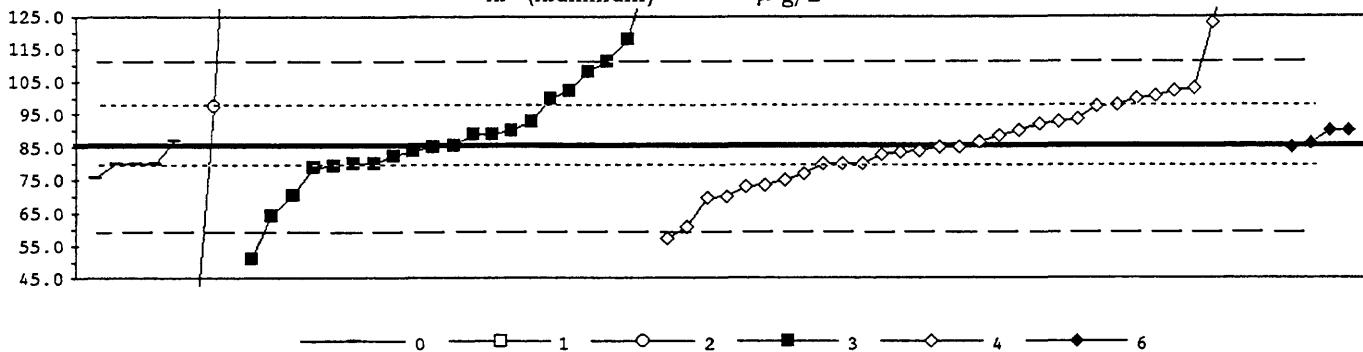
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
1	4	0.00			0.90			
3	NR				< 5			
6	3	-0.56			0.70			
11	1	1.97	1.60					
12	3	0.84			1.20			
13	NR				< 2			
15	3	-0.82			0.61			
16	NR				< 7			
18	0	3.09				2.00		
23	3	0.67			1.14			
24	4	0.00			0.90			
26	NR				< 10			
28	NR		< 100					
29	4	-0.28			0.80			
30	4	-0.06				0.88		
32	1	1.97				1.60		
36	0	2.36			1.74			
37	4	-0.28				0.80		
45	3	-0.91			0.58			
46	4	-0.34			0.78			
48	4	-0.28			0.80			
50	NR				< 5			
52	NR				< 1			
55	4	0.28			1.00			
57	2	1.12			1.30			
58	4	0.28			1.00			
59	NR				< 10			
61	NR				< 5			
63	3	0.56			1.10			
68	4	-0.14			0.85			
69	4	0.11			0.94			
70	0	6.18			3.10			
74	3	-0.87				0.59		
78	1	1.69			1.50			
79	0	118.32			43.00			
80	NR				< 1			
85	NR				< 5			
87	NR				< 2			
89	0	10.31			4.57			
90	3	-0.96			0.56			
94	NR				< 4			
96	2	1.24			1.34			
97	4	0.34			1.02			
100	4	-0.03			0.89			
103	NR				< 5			
105	3	0.84			1.20			
107	4	0.00			0.90			
108	2	-1.12			0.50			
113	3				0.58			
114	NR				< 10			

MPV = 0.90 +/- 0.07
 F-pseudosigma = 0.36
 N = 51
 Hu = 1.25
 Hl = 0.77

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
119.	4	0.28			1.00			
120.	4	-0.34			0.78			
121.	3	-0.98			0.55			
122.	NR				< 1			
126.	NR				< 10			
127.	3	-0.97			0.55			
131.	NR				< 10			
133.	0	6.46				3.20		
134.	2	1.12				1.30		
138.	4	0.37				1.03		
141.	4	0.28			1.00			
144.	1	-1.97			0.20			
146.	NR				< 10			
149.	4	-0.34			0.78			
153.	4	-0.25			0.81			
167.	NR				< 2			
179.	0	47.50			17.80			
180.	NR				< 4			
182.	NR				< 1			
193.	NR				< 1			
196.1	3	-0.93						0.57
196.2	4	-0.39					0.76	
201.	NR				< 2			
202.	2	-1.01				0.54		
204.	3	0.84				1.20		

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

Al (Aluminum)

 $\mu\text{g/L}$ 

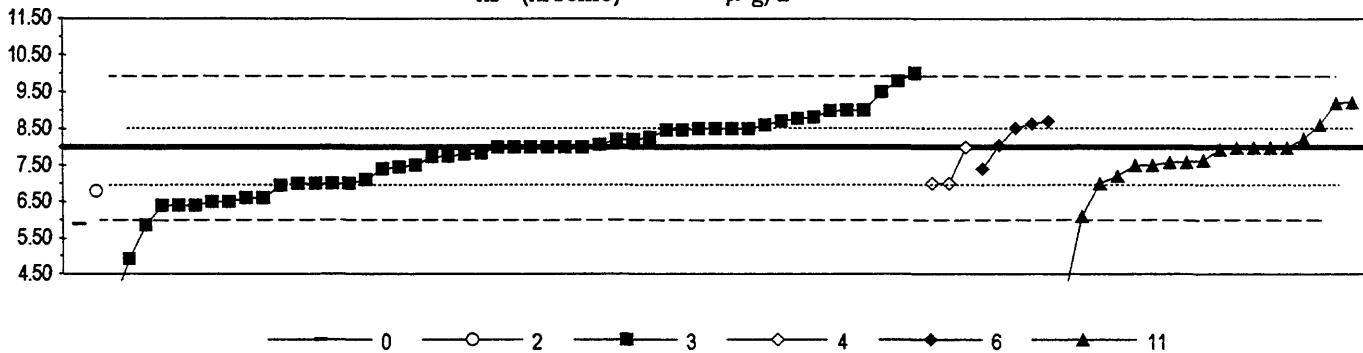
0. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct N2O	6. ICP/MS
N = 5	0 3 21 32 4
Minimum = 75.8	20.0 51.0 57.1 85.2
Maximum = 87.0	200.0 137.0 250.0 90.0
Median =	85.3 85.0
St Dev =	15.9 13.9

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
1	4	-0.43	80.0					
3	4	-0.43			80.0			
5	4	-0.16			83.4			
8	2	1.30			102.3			
11	4	-0.43	80.0					
12	NR				< 100			
13	3	0.91		97.3				
15	4	-0.21			82.8			
16	NR				< 300			
18	4	0.09			86.6			
23	4	-0.41	80.2					
24	3	-0.97			73.0			
25	1	-1.94			60.5			
26	NR				< 250			
28	2	1.12			100.0			
29	0	8.88	200.0					
30	4	-0.02			85.2			
33	4	0.12	87.0					
36	3	-0.75	75.8					
37	4	0.35			90.0			
39	3	0.97			98.0			
42	4	0.35			90.0			
45	4	0.25			88.7			
46	3	0.92			97.4			
48	1	1.98		111.0				
50	4	-0.04			85.0			
52	1	-1.67			64.0			
55	3	-0.81			75.0			
57	NR				< 250			
59	NR				< 100			
61	2	-1.20			70.0			
63	0	4.46			143.0			
68	0	12.75			250.0			
69	4	0.35		90.0				
70	4	-0.12			84.0			
73	4	0.50			92.0			
74	3	-0.66			77.0			
78	4	-0.49		79.2				
85	4	0.35			90.0			
89	0	3.99		137.0				
97	0	2.52		118.0				
100	3	-0.94			73.4			
101	0	4.77			147.0			
103	4	-0.04			85.0			
105	4	-0.04			85.0			
107	2	-1.19			70.2			
113	4	-0.13			83.8			
114	0	-5.08		20.0				
119	2	1.28			102.0			
120	4	0.00			85.5			

MPV = 85.5 +/- 2.2
F-pseudosigma = 12.9
N = 65
Hu = 97.4
Hl = 80.0

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
121	4	0.27			89.0			
122	2	1.12			100.0			
127	2	-1.23					69.6	
131	NR				< 100			
133	3	0.58					93.0	
134	3	0.64						93.7
136	4	0.27			89.0			
138	2	1.17			100.6			
139	0	-2.67			51.0			
141	4	-0.26			82.2			
145	4	-0.43					80.0	
146	2	1.36						103.0
149	4	-0.43			80.0			
151	4	-0.43			80.0			
161	0	2.91						123.0
167	NR				< 100			
180	0	-2.20			57.1			
182	NR				< 1000			
183	3	0.57					92.9	
185	1	1.74					108.0	
196	4	0.07						86.4
202	4	-0.43						80.0
204	3	-0.52						78.8

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued
 As (Arsenic) $\mu\text{g/L}$



0. Other	4. ICP
2. AA: direct N2O	6. ICP/MS
3. AA: graphite furnace	11. AA: hydride
N = 1 1 49 3 5 18	
Minimum = 5.89 6.80 3.70 7.00 7.40 4.00	
Maximum = 10.00 8.00 8.70 9.23	
Median = 8.00	7.94
St Dev = 0.97	0.76

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	2	3	4	6	11
1	2	1.08					9.20	
3	2	-1.35		6.50				
5	4	0.40		8.45				
8	0	-3.60				4.00		
11	1	-1.90	5.89					
12	NR		< 10					
13	4	0.00	8.00					
15	3	-0.90	7.00					
16	3	-0.90	7.00					
18	2	1.11		9.23				
23	4	0.22	8.25					
24	0	-3.87	3.70					
26	4	0.00		8.00				
28	4	0.00		8.00				
29	1	1.62	9.80					
30	4	0.46		8.51				
32	3	0.63		8.70				
35	4	0.21		8.23				
36	0	-2.77	4.92					
37	3	0.57		8.63				
39	4	-0.36		7.60				
42	3	-0.54		7.40				
45	2	-1.44	6.40					
46	2	-1.26	6.60					
48	3	-0.81	7.10					
50	4	0.00		8.00				
51	2	-1.26	6.60					
52	4	0.45	8.50					
55	4	0.45	8.50					
57	4	0.00		8.00				
58	1	-1.71		6.10				
59	3	-0.90		7.00				
61	4	0.45	8.50					
63	4	0.00	8.00					
68	4	-0.45	7.50					
69	4	0.18	8.20					
70	4	0.18	8.20					
74	3	0.54	8.60					
75	4	-0.31		7.65				
76	3	0.69	8.77					
78	4	0.00	8.00					
79	2	-1.44	6.40					
80	3	0.90	9.00					
85	4	-0.45		7.50				
87	3	-0.90		7.00				
89	3	-0.70		7.22				
90	3	0.63	8.70					
94	4	-0.15	7.83					
96	4	0.05	8.06					
97	3	0.56		8.62				

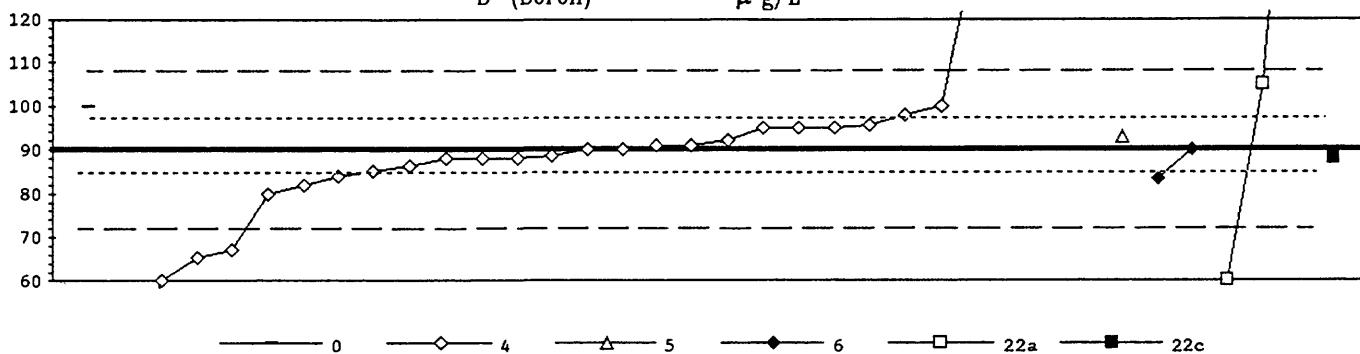
MPV = 8.00 +/- 0.17
 F-pseudosigma = 1.11
 N = 77
 Hu = 8.50
 Hl = 7.00

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	2	3	4	6	11
100.	2	1.35		9.50				
103.	3	-0.90					7.00	
105.	4	0.00			8.00			
107.	4	0.41			8.46			
108.	3	-0.90			7.00			
109.	3	-0.94		6.96				
113.	4	-0.22		7.75				
119.	4	-0.45			7.50			
120.	4	-0.05				7.94		
123.	1	-1.93		5.85				
127.	4	-0.23		7.74				
131.	NR					< 50		
133.	4	-0.49		7.46				
134.	4	-0.36				7.60		
136.	4	0.00		8.00				
138.	3	0.72		8.80				
139.	3	0.88		8.98				
141.	4	0.45		8.50				
145.	NR					< 21		
146.	4	0.00		8.00				
149.	2	-1.44		6.40				
167.	1	1.80			10.00			
179.	2	-1.08		6.80				
180.	NR					< 18		
182.	4	0.00				8.00		
183.	3	-0.54		7.40				
193.	3	-0.90		7.00				
196.1	4	0.04				8.04		
196.2	3	0.90		9.00				
202.	4	-0.18		7.80				
204.	2	-1.35		6.50				

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

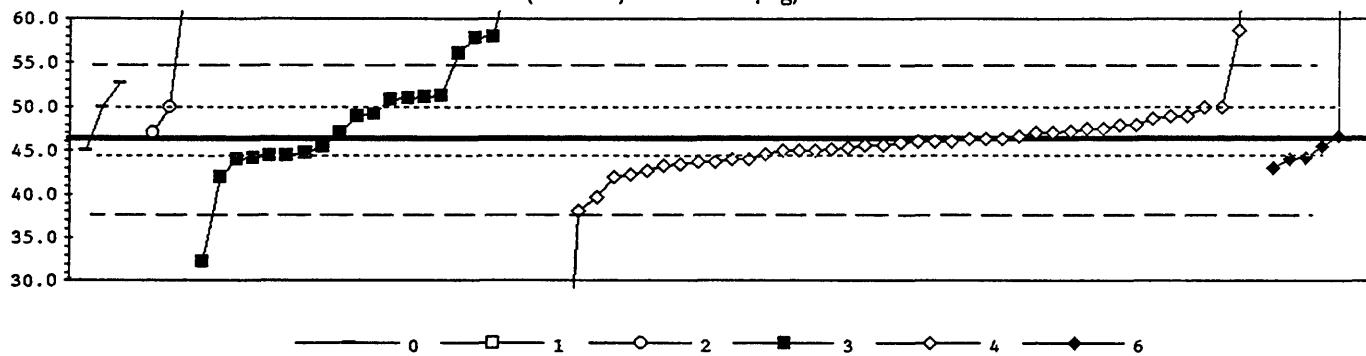
B (Boron)

$\mu\text{ g/L}$



0. Other		6. ICP/MS					
4. ICP	22a. Colorimetric: azomethine						MPV = 90 +/- 2
5. DCP	22c. Colorimetric: curcumin						F-pseudosigma = 9
	N = 1	28	1	2	3	1	N = 36
	Minimum = 100	40	93	84	60	88	Hu = 97
	Maximum = 4300			90	200		Hl = 85
	Median = 89						
	St Dev = 9						
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	5	6	22a 22c
1	4	0.32			93		
3	2	-1.11		80			
5	4	-0.18		89			
11	2	1.09	100				
15	3	-0.67		84			
16	NR		< 200				
18	4	0.10		91			
24	3	0.54		95			
25	4	0.10		91			
26	NR		< 100				
28	0	6.60	150				
37	3	-0.73		84			
39	3	0.87	98				
42	4	-0.01		90			
45	1	1.64		105			
46	0	-5.52	40				
48	2	1.09	100				
52	NR		< 170				
55	0	-2.54	67				
57	0	12.10	200				
58	4	-0.23		88			
61	4	0.21	92				
63	3	-0.56	85				
70	4	-0.23	88				
100	0	5.50	140				
103	0	-3.31	60				
119	4	-0.23	88				
121	4	-0.01	90				
122	0	-3.31		60			
127	4	0.01	90				
129	0	12.10		200			
131	4	-0.23	88				
134	3	-0.89	82				
141	3	0.55	95				
145	0	-2.74	65				
146	3	0.53	95				
161	0	463.60	4300				
167	4	-0.41	86				
180	3	0.59	96				
182	NR		< 100				

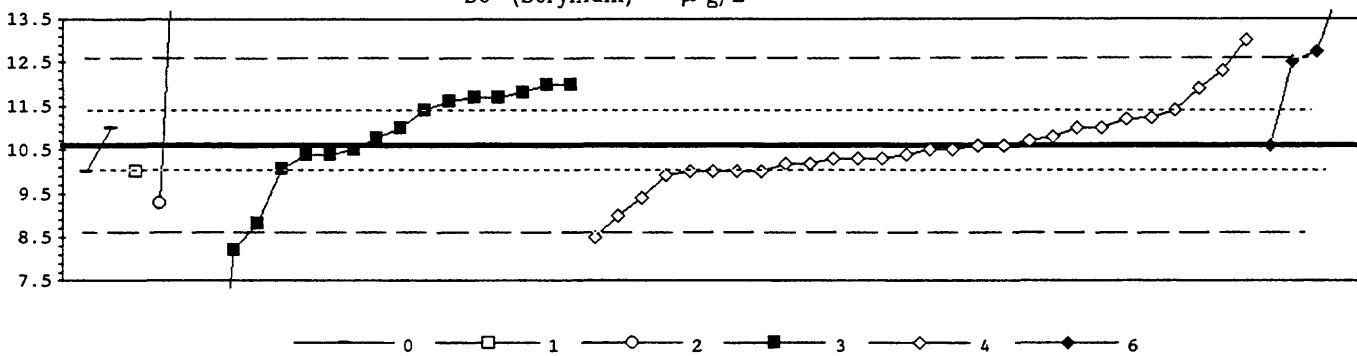
Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

Ba (Barium) $\mu\text{g/L}$ 

0. Other			3. AA: graphite furnace		
1. AA: direct air			4. ICP		
2. AA: direct N2O			6. ICP/MS		
	N =	3 2 3 21 42 6		MPV =	46.3 +/- 0.7
	Minimum =	45.0 12.0 47.0 32.2 0.0 43.0		F-pseudosigma =	4.3
	Maximum =	52.8 100.0 66.0 116.0 115.0 451.0		N =	76
	Median =	49.0 46.0		Hu =	50.0
	St Dev =	5.0 3.3		Hl =	44.3
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0 1 2 3 4 6		
1	4	0.00			
3	3	-0.54			
5	4	0.07			
6	3	-0.51	44.1		
8	1	-1.57	39.6		
11	3	0.87	50.0		
13	2	1.18	51.3		
15	4	-0.30	45.0		
16	4	0.17	47.0		
18	3	-0.94	42.3		
19	3	-0.70	43.3		
23	2	1.06	50.8		
24	4	-0.09	45.9		
25	4	-0.23	45.3		
26	NR		< 250		
28	3	0.87	50.0		
29	3	0.87	50.0		
30	4	0.07			
32	4	-0.19	45.5		
33	4	-0.30	45.0		
36	1	1.53	52.8		
37	3	-0.51			
39	3	0.64	49.0		
42	3	-0.77	43.0		
45	4	0.28	47.5		
46	4	0.28	47.5		
48	2	1.11	51.0		
50	NR		< 50		
52	3	-0.65	43.5		
55	4	0.00	46.3		
57	3	0.87	50.0		
59	4	-0.07	46.0		
61	3	-0.84	42.7		
63	0	16.12	115.0		
68	4	0.40	48.0		
69	0	2.75	58.0		
70	4	0.17	47.0		
74	2	-1.01	42.0		
75	3	0.68	49.2		
76	4	-0.19	45.5		
78	2	1.13	51.1		
87	0	4.62	66.0		
89	0	16.35	116.0		
90	0	8.00	80.4		
94	4	-0.40	44.6		
96	4	0.17	47.0		
97	4	-0.44	44.4		
100	4	0.00	46.3		
101	4	-0.26	45.2		
103	1	-1.94	38.0		

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
105	3	-0.54						
107	4	-0.42						
108	3	0.64						
113	0	2.70						
119	4	0.40						
120	0	2.30						
121	4	-0.07						
122	4	-0.35						
126	NR							
127	4	-0.16						
131	4	-0.30						
133	3	-0.61						
134	3	0.54						
136	3	-0.54						
138	4	-0.16						
141	4	-0.30						
145	3	-0.61						
146	3	0.61						
149	0	4.62						
153	4	0.17						
161	4	-0.07						
167	0	-10.85						
180	4	0.21						
182	0	12.60	100.0					
183	0	-3.31						
191	0	94.95						
193	2	-1.01						
196	3	-0.53						
204	0	2.91						

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued
 Be (Beryllium) $\mu\text{g/L}$



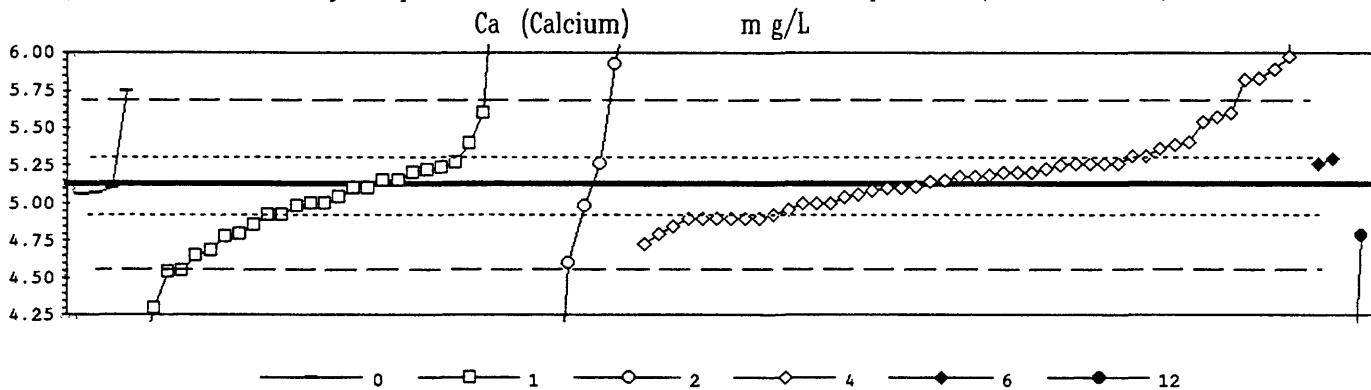
0. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct N ₂ O	6. ICP/MS
N =	2 1 2 16 28 4
Minimum =	10.0 10.0 9.3 3.3 8.5 10.6
Maximum =	11.0 10.0 20.0 12.0 13.0 14.3
Median =	11.0 10.5
St Dev =	1.1 0.9

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
1	3	0.60				11.2		
3	3	-0.58			10.0			
6	2	1.35			12.0			
8	1	1.64				12.3		
11	3	-0.58	10.0					
12	NR				< 20			
15	2	1.25				11.9		
16	3	-0.58				10.0		
18	2	-1.16				9.4		
23	3	0.77			11.4			
24	4	-0.19			10.4			
25	4	-0.39				10.2		
28	NR				< 100			
30	4	0.00				10.6		
32	0	3.57				14.3		
36	4	0.39	11.0					
37	1	1.83				12.5		
39	0	2.31			13.0			
45	3	0.77				11.4		
46	3	0.58			11.2			
48	3	0.96			11.6			
50	4	0.39			11.0			
52	2	1.16			11.8			
55	4	0.19			10.8			
57	1	-1.54			9.0			
58	0	-7.03			3.3			
61	4	0.39				11.0		
63	3	-0.51			10.1			
68	3	-0.58				10.0		
69	4	-0.10			10.5			
70	4	-0.29			10.3			
74	4	-0.39				10.2		
78	2	1.06			11.7			
94	4	-0.29				10.3		
97	1	-1.72			8.8			
100	4	-0.19			10.4			
103	3	-0.58				10.0		
105	4	-0.29			10.3			
114	0	9.06			20.0			
119	0	-2.31			8.2			
120	4	0.17			10.8			
127	4	0.00				10.6		
133	4	0.10				10.7		
134	0	-2.02				8.5		
138	4	-0.10			10.5			
141	2	1.06			11.7			
145	3	-0.66				9.9		
146	4	0.00			10.6			
149	4	-0.19			10.4			
167	4	0.39				11.0		

MPV = 10.6 +/- 0.2
 F-pseudosigma = 1.0
 N = 53
 Hu = 11.4
 Hl = 10.0

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
179	2	-1.25				9.3		
180	4	-0.10					10.5	
182	3	-0.58				10.0		
196	0	2.06						12.7
202	2	1.35					12.0	

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued



0. Other	4. ICP
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
2. AA: direct N ₂ O	12. AA: flame emission
N =	4 29 6 47 2 2
Minimum =	5.06 3.90 3.00 4.73 5.26 2.75
Maximum =	5.75 9.29 6.40 10.40 5.30 4.79
Median =	5.00 5.18
St Dev =	0.30 0.29

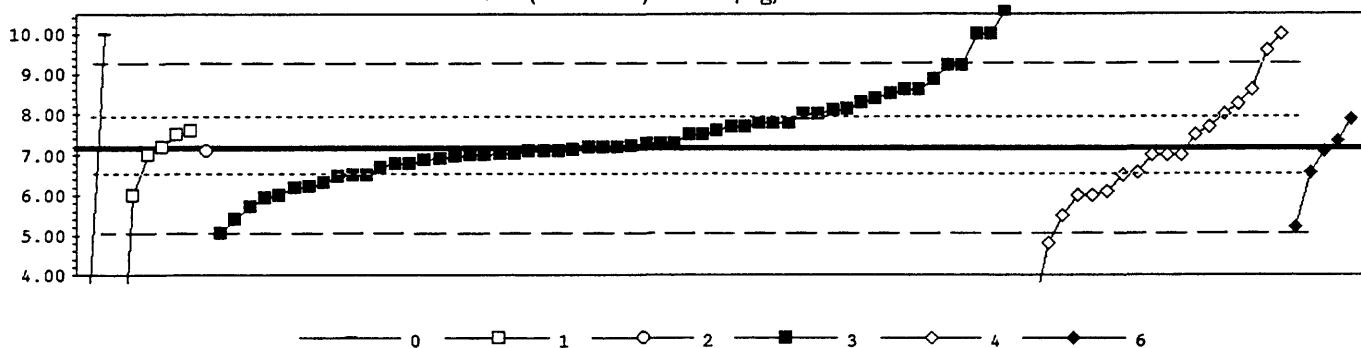
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	6	12
1	4	0.20				5.18		
3	4	0.27				5.20		
5	4	0.48				5.26		
8	3	0.83				5.36		
9	0	-2.93	4.30					
11	4	-0.20	5.07					
12	4	-0.44		5.00				
13	3	-0.73		4.92				
15	4	-0.16			5.08			
16	3	-0.80			4.90			
18	1	1.69			5.60			
19	3	-0.98			4.85			
23	3	-0.94	4.86					
24	4	0.37			5.23			
25	1	1.62			5.58			
28	0	18.73		10.40				
32	3	0.62			5.30			
33	4	-0.24	5.06					
36	2	-1.19			4.79			
39	0	3.00			5.97			
42	4	-0.09			5.10			
43	4	-0.09			5.10			
45	4	-0.30	5.04					
46	3	0.66			5.31			
48	3	0.66			5.31			
51	4	0.48			5.26			
52	3	-0.80			4.90			
54	4	-0.09	5.10					
55	4	0.20			5.18			
57	4	-0.44			5.00			
59	4	0.27			5.20			
61	3	-0.80			4.90			
63	3	0.94			5.39			
64	4	-0.30			5.04			
68	3	-0.80			4.90			
69	2	-1.15	4.80					
70	4	0.48			5.26			
74	2	-1.15		4.80				
75	2	-1.22	4.78					
78	1	-1.69	4.65					
83	3	0.51			5.27			
84	0	-4.35			3.90			
85	4	0.34			5.22			
87	0	4.53			6.40			
89	1	-1.54			4.69			
92	0	-2.04			4.55			
94	4	-0.23			5.06			
96	3	-0.51			4.98			
97	3	-0.73	4.92					
100	2	1.01			5.41			

MPV = 5.13 +/- 0.04
F-pseudosigma = 0.28
N = 90
Hu = 5.30
Hl = 4.92

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	6	12
101	4	0.09			5.15			
103	3	-0.80				4.90		
105	2	-1.40				4.73		
107	0	14.79			9.29			
109	1	1.69			5.60			
111	4	0.48				5.26		
113	4	0.27			5.20			
114	0	-7.54				3.00		
116	0	2.72				5.89		
119	4	0.09				5.15		
120	0	-2.08			4.54			
121	4	0.27				5.20		
122	4	0.41			5.24			
123	3	-0.51			4.98			
126	4	-0.44			5.00			
127	4	0.05				5.14		
129	0	13.76			9.00			
131	3	-0.80				4.90		
133	3	-0.73				4.92		
134	3	-0.59				4.96		
136	1	-1.86			4.60			
138	4	0.48				5.26		
139	0	2.84				5.93		
140	4	-0.44			5.00			
141	4	0.44				5.25		
145	4	-0.05				5.11		
146	0	2.50				5.83		
151	4	-0.09			5.10			
153	4	-0.09	5.10					
155	0	2.22	5.75					
164	3	0.95			5.39			
167	4	-0.44				5.00		
179	0	10.21			8.00			
180	2	1.47				5.54		
182	0	6.30			6.90			
191	4	0.48				5.26		
193	4	0.09			5.15			
201	0	-8.44					2.75	
202	4	0.23				5.19		
204	0	2.47				5.82		

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

Cd (Cadmium) $\mu\text{g/L}$



0. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct N2O	6. ICP/MS
N = 2 6 1 56 18 5	
Minimum = 3.74 0.01 7.10 5.05 3.18 5.20	
Maximum = 10.00 7.60	12.00 10.00 7.90
Median =	7.20 7.00
St Dev =	1.11 1.40

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
1	4	0.13			7.30			
3	3	0.61			7.80			
6	3	0.93			8.14			
8	2	-1.02				6.10		
9	4	-0.35			6.80			
11	0	-3.28	3.74					
12	4	-0.06			7.10			
13	1	1.62			8.86			
15	4	-0.28			6.87			
16	3	0.80				8.00		
18	4	-0.18			6.98			
19	1	-1.59				5.50		
23	2	-1.38			5.72			
24	4	0.32				7.50		
26	4	-0.16			7.00			
28	0	2.71				10.00		
29	4	0.03			7.20			
30	4	0.17				7.34		
32	3	0.70				7.90		
36	4	-0.11			7.05			
37	4	-0.06				7.10		
39	4	0.03			7.20			
42	1	-1.88				5.20		
45	4	-0.03			7.13			
46	4	-0.06			7.10			
48	3	0.51			7.70			
50	4	-0.16			7.00			
51	0	2.71			10.00			
52	3	-0.63			6.51			
55	2	1.37			8.60			
57	4	0.32			7.50			
59	4	-0.16				7.00		
61	0	2.33				9.60		
63	3	0.51			7.70			
68	0	-2.26				4.80		
69	4	-0.13			7.03			
70	0	-2.02			5.05			
73	4	-0.16				7.00		
74	2	-1.11				6.00		
76	4	0.34			7.52			
78	1	-1.69				5.40		
79	0	3.29				10.60		
85	0	4.63				12.00		
87	0	-6.85	0.01					
89	3	-0.90				6.22		
90	2	1.18				8.40		
92	4	-0.16	7.00					
94	3	-0.56				6.58		
96	4	0.06			7.23			
97	2	-1.17				5.94		

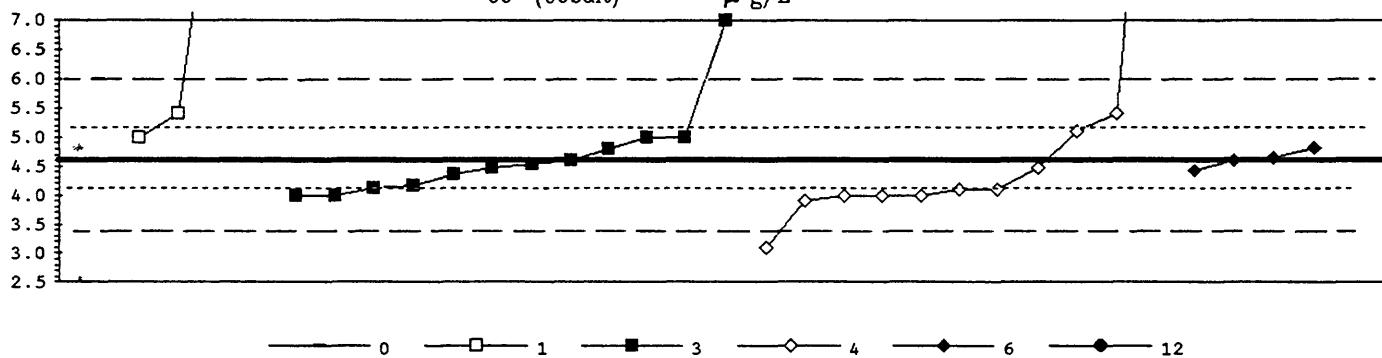
MPV = 7.17 +/- 0.15
F-pseudosigma = 1.05
N = 88
Hu = 7.95
Hl = 6.54

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
100.	4	0.03		7.20				
101.	3	0.51					7.70	
103.	2	-1.11					6.00	
105.	4	0.13				7.30		
107.	2	1.30				8.52		
108.	3	0.80				8.00		
109.	4	-0.38				6.77		
111.	3	-0.92				6.20		
113.	4	-0.25				6.90		
114.	NR			< 10				
119.	4	0.13				7.30		
120.	3	0.59				7.78		
121.	4	-0.16					7.00	
122.	3	-0.66				6.47		
127.	4	-0.06				7.10		
131.	NR			< 10				
133.	2	1.05				8.26		
134.	4	0.03				7.20		
136.	0	2.71				10.00		
138.	2	1.09				8.30		
139.	1	1.97				9.22		
140.	4	0.42		7.60				
141.	4	-0.44				6.70		
144.	3	-0.83				6.30		
145.	0	-3.81				3.18		
146.	2	1.37				8.60		
149.	4	0.42				7.60		
153.	2	1.37				8.60		
158.	2	-1.11				6.00		
167.	3	0.80				8.00		
179.	4	-0.06			7.10			
180.	3	-0.64					6.50	
182.	0	2.71	10.00					
183.	1	1.96					9.21	
193.	2	-1.11		6.00				
196.1	3	-0.57						6.57
196.2	3	0.89					8.10	
201.	4	0.32			7.50			
202.	3	0.61				7.80		
204.	3	-0.64				6.50		

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

Co (Cobalt)

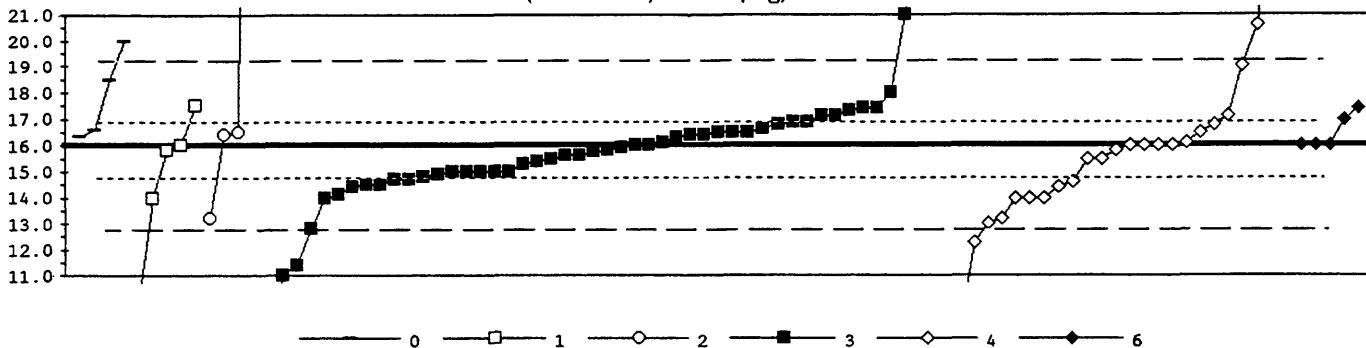
$\mu\text{ g/L}$



0. Other	4. ICP
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
3. AA: graphite furnace	12. AA: flame emission
N =	1 4 12 11 4 1
Minimum =	6.0 5.0 4.0 3.1 4.4 7.9
Maximum =	46.0 7.0 12.5 4.8
Median =	4.5 4.1
St Dev =	0.4 0.6

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6	12
1	4	0.27			4.8			
3	NR				< 10			
8	3	-0.94				3.9		
11	1	1.89	6.0					
15	4	-0.09		4.5				
16	NR				< 10			
18	3	-0.81			4.0			
24	2	1.08				5.4		
26	NR				< 10			
28	NR		< 100					
30	4	0.05			4.6			
32	4	0.00			4.6			
36	0	4.48				7.9		
37	4	0.28			4.8			
46	NR				< 10			
48	NR	NR			< 10			
50	3	0.54		5.0				
51	3	-0.81			4.0			
52	3	-0.65			4.1			
55	3	-0.81		4.0				
57	NR			< 100				
61	NR				< 5			
63	0	55.85		46.0				
68	0	-2.02				3.1		
70	NR				< 10			
74	3	-0.81			4.0			
89	NR			< 10				
92	3	0.54		5.0				
94	3	-0.67				4.1		
97	4	-0.32		4.4				
100	2	1.08	5.4					
103	3	-0.81			4.0			
105	NR			< 10				
121	0	3.24		7.0				
127	3	-0.58			4.2			
131	NR			< 10				
133	0	10.66			12.5			
134	4	0.00		4.6				
136	3	0.54			5.0			
138	4	-0.19			4.5			
141	3	0.67			5.1			
145	NR				< 5			
146	4	-0.19			4.5			
167	NR				< 40			
180	3	-0.67			4.1			
182	0	7.28	10.0					
193	NR			< 10				
196	4	-0.24			4.4			

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued
 Cr (Chromium) $\mu\text{g/L}$



0. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct N2O	6. ICP/MS
N =	4 5 4 48 25 5
Minimum =	16.3 10.0 13.2 8.0 7.6 16.0
Maximum =	20.0 17.5 80.0 32.1 30.0 17.4
Median =	15.8 15.8
St Dev =	1.5 1.9

MPV = 16.0 +/- 0.2
 F-pseudosigma = 1.6
 N = 91
 Hu = 16.8
 Hl = 14.7

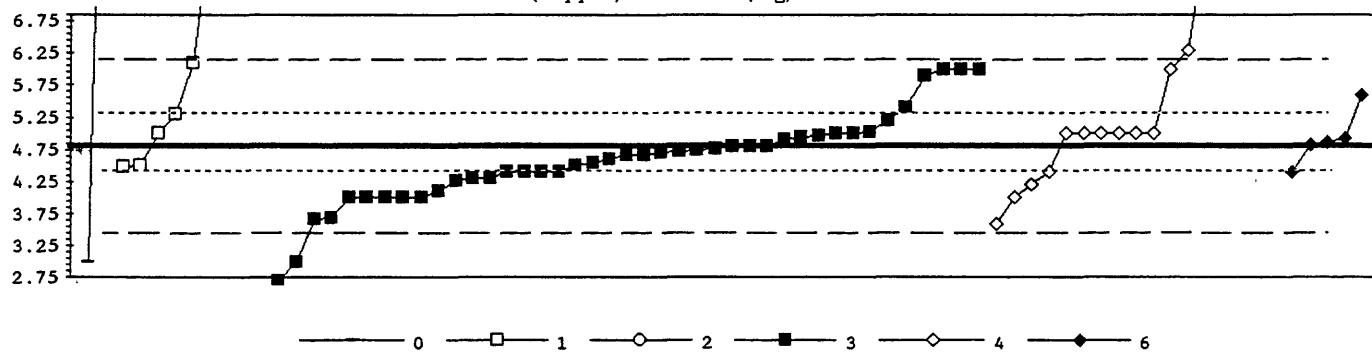
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
1	4	0.21	16.3					
3	2	-1.28			14.0			
5	3	0.51			16.8			
6	4	0.06			16.1			
8	0	-4.42			9.1			
9	3	0.70			17.1			
11	0	2.56	20.0					
12	NR				< 20			
13	0	-2.05			12.8			
15	3	0.51			16.8			
16	1	1.92			19.0			
18	1	-1.92			13.0			
19	2	-1.28			14.0			
23	4	-0.26			15.6			
24	4	-0.32			15.5			
25	3	0.70			17.1			
26	NR				< 20			
28	0	8.97			30.0			
29	3	-0.96			14.5			
30	4	0.00			16.0			
32	4	0.00			16.0			
36	1	1.60	18.5					
37	3	0.64			17.0			
39	4	0.00			16.0			
42	4	0.00			16.0			
45	3	-0.83			14.7			
46	2	-1.03			14.4			
48	4	0.26			16.4			
50	3	-0.64			15.0			
51	0	-5.13			8.0			
52	3	0.70			17.1			
55	4	0.32			16.5			
57	3	-0.64			15.0			
58	3	0.90			17.4			
59	4	0.00			16.0			
61	1	-1.79			13.2			
63	4	0.26			16.4			
68	0	6.41			26.0			
69	4	-0.13			15.8			
70	4	0.32			16.5			
73	0	2.95			20.6			
74	2	-1.28			14.0			
75	4	0.00			16.0			
76	3	0.90			17.4			
78	4	0.19			16.3			
79	4	0.00			16.0			
80	0	3.20			21.0			
85	NR				< 20			
87	1	-1.79			13.2			
89	3	-0.64			15.0			

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
90.	0	10.32					32.1	
92.	4	0.00			16.0			
94.	4	-0.32					15.5	
96.	4	0.33					16.5	
97.	2	-1.22					14.1	
100.	4	-0.13			15.8			
101.	4	0.32					16.5	
103.	0	-2.37					12.3	
105.	3	0.83					17.3	
107.	3	-0.70					14.9	
108.	2	-1.28					14.0	
111.	4	0.26					16.4	
113.	3	0.58					16.9	
114.	0	41.01					80.0	
119.	4	-0.32					15.5	
120.	3	-0.84					14.7	
121.	2	1.28					18.0	
122.	4	-0.26					15.6	
123.	4	0.42					16.7	
126.	0	6.41					26.0	
127.	4	-0.13					15.8	
131.	0						< 10	
133.	3	-0.90					14.6	
134.	4	0.38	16.6					
136.	0	-3.20					11.0	
138.	4	-0.45					15.3	
140.	3	0.96			17.5			
141.	2	-1.03					14.4	
144.	3	-0.64					15.0	
145.	0	-5.38					7.6	
146.	4	0.06					16.1	
149.	3	-0.96					14.5	
153.	3	0.58					16.9	
158.	0	-2.95					11.4	
161.	4	0.00					16.0	
167.	3	-0.64					15.0	
179.	4	0.32			16.5			
180.	4	0.00					16.0	
182.	0	-3.85			10.0			
183.	4	-0.13					15.8	
193.	2	-1.28			14.0			
196.1	3	0.91					17.4	
196.2	4	-0.06					15.9	
201.	0				< 2			
202.	4	-0.38					15.4	
204.	3	-0.77					14.8	

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

Cu (Copper)

μ g/L



0. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct N2O	6. ICP/MS
N =	2 8 1 41 17 5
Minimum =	3.00 4.48 2.40 2.70 3.60 4.40
Maximum =	13.30 20.00 6.00 20.00 5.60
Median =	5.15 4.66 5.00
St Dev =	1.41 0.71 1.46

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
1	4	0.15			4.90			
3	NR				< 5			
6	4	-0.37			4.55			
8	1	-1.80				3.60		
9	2	-1.20			4.00			
11	0	-2.70	3.00					
12	1	1.80			6.00			
13	NR				< 50			
15	0	-3.15			2.70			
16	NR				< 10			
18	3	-0.60			4.40			
23	1	-1.65			3.70			
24	4	0.00			4.80			
26	NR				< 100			
28	0	22.78			20.00			
29	NR		< 4					
30	4	0.10			4.87			
32	2	1.20			5.60			
36	0	12.74	13.30					
37	4	0.19			4.93			
39	1	1.80			6.00			
42	3	-0.60			4.40			
45	4	-0.10			4.73			
48	4	0.00			4.80			
50	4	0.30			5.00			
51	2	-1.20			4.00			
52	4	0.21			4.94			
55	2	-1.05			4.10			
57	NR		< 20					
58	3	-0.60			4.40			
59	4	0.30			5.00			
61	NR				< 5			
63	4	0.30			5.00			
68	0	2.25			6.30			
69	1	1.80			6.00			
70	NR				< 10			
73	0	4.80			8.00			
74	4	0.30			5.00			
75	3	-0.60			4.40			
78	1	-1.69			3.67			
79	0	-2.70			3.00			
80	2	-1.20			4.00			
83	4	-0.45			4.50			
85	NR				< 5			
87	NR				< 5			
89	NR				< 10			
90	1	1.95			6.10			
92	4	0.30			5.00			
94	0	4.80			8.00			
96	4	-0.48			4.48			

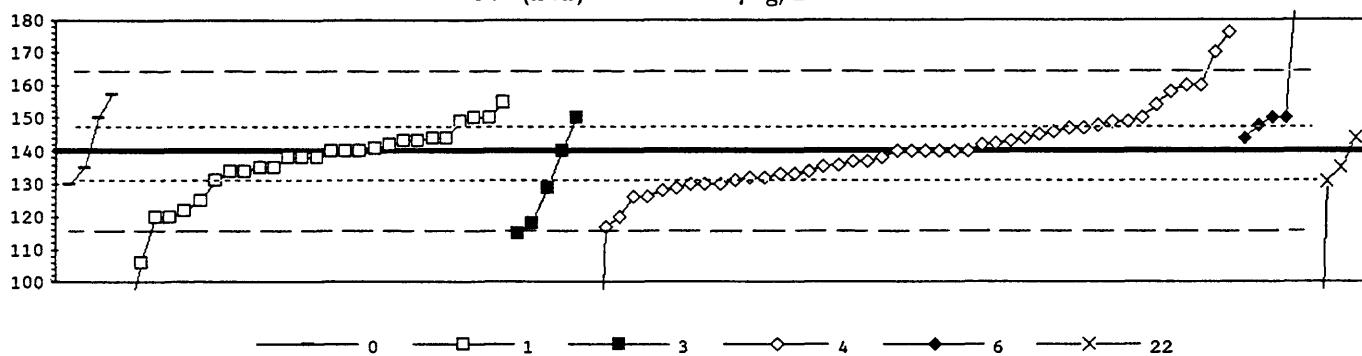
MPV = 4.80 +/- 0.10
F-pseudosigma = 0.67
N = 74
Hu = 5.30
Hl = 4.40

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
97	4	-0.21					4.66	
100	0	11.09			12.20			
101	3	-0.90					4.20	
103	2	-1.20					4.00	
105	4	0.30					5.00	
107	4	-0.07					4.75	
108	1	1.80					6.00	
111	3	-0.75					4.30	
113	4	0.33					5.02	
114	0	22.78			20.00			
119	4	0.30					5.00	
120	3	-0.81					4.26	
121	3	0.90					5.40	
122	4	-0.21					4.66	
123	3	-0.60					4.40	
126	NR				< 20			
127	4	0.24					4.96	
131	NR						< 10	
133	0	4.75					7.97	
134	3	-0.60					4.40	
136	2	-1.20					4.00	
138	4	0.00					4.80	
139	4	-0.15					4.70	
140	3	0.75			5.30			
141	1	1.65					5.90	
144	3	0.60					5.20	
145	NR						< 3	
146	0	10.79					12.00	
149	NR				< 9			
153	4	-0.30					4.60	
158	2	-1.20					4.00	
161	4	0.30					5.00	
167	NR						< 20	
179	0	-3.60			2.40			
180	4	0.30					5.00	
182	NR				< 20			
183	4	-0.04					4.77	
193	NR				< 10			
196	4	0.04						4.83
201	0	5.10			8.20			
202	4	-0.45					4.50	
204	3	-0.75					4.30	

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

Fe (Iron)

$\mu\text{ g/L}$



0. Other	4. ICP
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
3. AA: graphite furnace	22. Color: phenanthroline
N = 4	27 5 45 5 4
Minimum = 130	86 115 0 144 0
Maximum = 157	155 150 176 205 144
Median =	139 140
St Dev =	11 12

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6	22
1	4	0.21			142			
3	3	-0.84			130			
5	3	0.76			149			
8	4	0.25			143			
9	4	-0.42	135					
11	3	0.84	150					
12	4	0.00			140			
13	3	-0.51		134				
15	2	-1.01			128			
16	4	-0.17			138			
18	1	-1.94			117			
19	3	-0.67			132			
21	4	0.34				144		
23	1	-1.52	122					
24	4	-0.25			137			
25	3	-0.93			129			
26	NR				< 200			
28	0	2.53			170			
29	2	-1.26		125				
30	3	0.67			148			
32	0	5.48			205			
33	4	-0.42	135					
36	3	-0.84	130					
37	3	0.84			150			
42	4	0.17			142			
43	3	0.67			148			
45	3	-0.51	134					
46	3	0.59			147			
48	1	1.69			160			
50	3	-0.93		129				
51	4	0.08		141				
52	3	-0.59			133			
54	4	0.00		140				
55	4	0.00			140			
57	1	-1.69		120				
58	0	-4.55	86					
59	4	0.42			145			
61	2	-1.18			126			
63	4	-0.25			137			
68	4	0.00			140			
69	4	0.34		144				
70	1	-1.69			120			
73	1	1.52			158			
74	3	-0.84			130			
76	4	0.34		144				
78	4	0.00		140				
83	4	-0.17		138				
84	3	0.84		150				
85	4	0.25		143				
87	2	1.43	157					

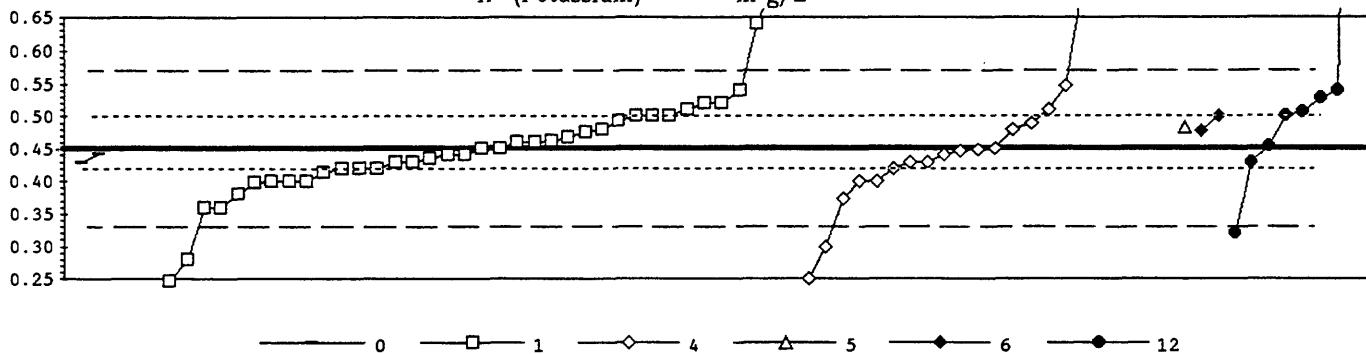
MPV = 140 +/- 2
F-pseudosigma = 12
N = 90
Hu = 147
Hl = 131

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6	22
89	3	-0.76		131				
90	4	-0.17		138				
91	4	0.34					144	
92	0	-2.87		106				
94	4	0.34					144	
96	4	0.25	143					
97	4	0.00					140	
100	4	-0.17	138					
101	3	0.76					149	
103	3	-0.84					130	
105	3	-0.59					133	
107	4	-0.42					135	
109	3	0.76					149	
113	0	-11.79						0.13
114	3	0.84	150					
116	3	0.51					146	
119	4	0.00					140	
120	1	-1.86					118	
121	3	0.84					150	
122	0	-2.11					115	
127	4	0.00					140	
129	4	-0.42						135
131	4	0.00						140
133	3	0.59					147	
134	3	-0.73					131	
136	3	0.84					150	
138	4	-0.38					136	
139	1	-1.69					120	
140	4	0.00					140	
141	4	-0.34					136	
145	2	-1.18					126	
146	1	1.69					160	
149	2	1.26					155	
155	3	-0.79						131
161	2	1.18					154	
167	0	-11.79					0.14	
180	3	-0.67					132	
182	NR						< 200	
191	3	0.84						150
193	4	0.17					142	
202	3	-0.51						134
204	0	3.04						176

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

K (Potassium)

m g/L



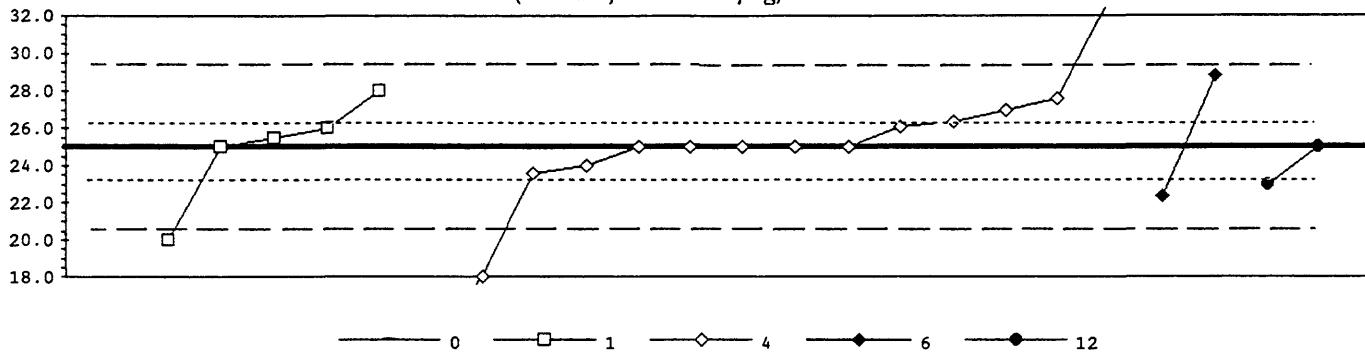
0. Other	5. DCP
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
4. ICP	12. AA: flame emission
	N = 2 40 22 1 2 8
	Minimum = 0.43 0.10 0.25 0.48 0.48 0.32
	Maximum = 0.44 1.55 640 0.50 1.54
	Median = 0.44 0.44 0.50
	St Dev = 0.05 0.06 0.08

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	5	6	12
1	4	-0.31	0.43					
3	2	-1.41	0.36					
8	3	0.94		0.51				
9	2	-1.10	0.38					
11	4	-0.13	0.44					
12	0	-2.35		0.30				
13	3	-0.56	0.41					
15	4	0.27	0.47					
16	3	-0.78	0.40					
18	0	3.92		0.70				
23	4	-0.31	0.43					
24	0	-3.14		0.25				
28	0	25.88		2.10				
32	3	0.78			0.50			
33	3	0.53			0.48			
36	0	-2.02			0.32			
42	0	3.92		0.70				
43	3	-0.78		0.40				
45	4	-0.24	0.44					
46	3	0.63		0.49				
48	0	10032		640				
51	0	17.10			1.54			
52	4	-0.03		0.45				
54	4	0.00	0.45					
55	4	-0.31			0.43			
57	3	0.78	0.50					
59	4	0.00		0.45				
61	NR			< 1				
63	2	1.10	0.52					
64	4	-0.47	0.42					
68	0	8.63		1.00				
69	3	0.78			0.50			
70	NR		< 0.5					
74	4	0.47		0.48				
75	NR		< 1					
78	4	0.16	0.46					
83	4	0.47	0.48					
85	3	0.94	0.51					
87	4	-0.16	0.44					
89	3	0.78	0.50					
92	0	17.25	1.55					
94	4	0.19	0.46					
96	3	0.66	0.49					
97	2	-1.41	0.36					
100	4	-0.16		0.44				
101	3	0.78	0.50					
103	3	-0.78		0.40				
105	4	-0.31		0.43				
109	4	-0.47	0.42					
111	4	0.39	0.48					

MPV = 0.45 +/- 0.01
F-pseudosigma = 0.06
N = 75
Hu = 0.50
H1 = 0.42

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	5	6	12
113	2	1.10	0.52					
114	0	-3.61	0.22					
119	4	-0.31		0.43				
120	0	-3.20	0.25					
121	4	-0.16	0.44					
122	4	0.16	0.46					
123	0	-2.67	0.28					
127	2	1.41	0.54					
129	0	-3.92	0.20					
131	NR		< 2					
133	2	-1.21	0.37					
134	0	3.92	0.70					
136	3	-0.78	0.40					
138	4	-0.06		0.45				
139	2	1.41		0.54				
140	0	2.98	0.64					
141	4	-0.47		0.42				
145	0		< 0.1					
146	0	17.41	1.56					
151	4	-0.47	0.42					
153	4	-0.31	0.43					
164	3	-0.82	0.40					
167	NR		< 1					
179	3	-0.78	0.40					
180	1	1.52	0.55					
182	0	-5.49	0.10					
191	4	0.44		0.48				
193	4	0.00		0.45				
201	3	0.88			0.51			
202	2	1.21			0.53			
204	4	0.08			0.46			

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued
 Li (Lithium) $\mu\text{g/L}$

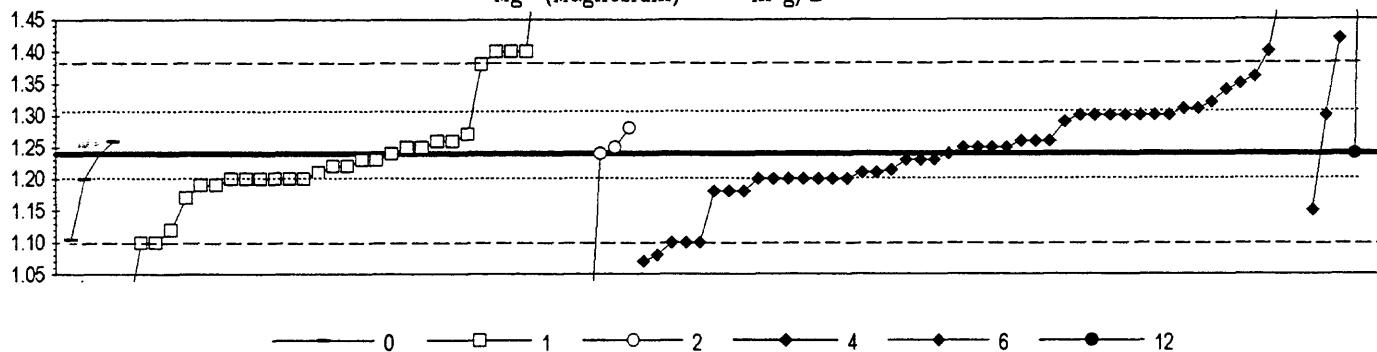


0. Other	6. ICP/MS					
1. AA: direct air	12. AA: flame emission					
4. ICP						
	N = 1 5 14 2 2					
	Minimum = 11.0 20.0 14.9 22.4 23.0					
	Maximum = 28.0 32.8 28.8 25.0					
	Median = 25.0					
	St Dev = 3.2					
Lab	Rating Z-value	0	1	4	6	12
1	4	0.49			26.1	
3	3	0.92			27.0	
11	0	-6.43	11.0			
15	3	-0.64			23.6	
16	NR				< 200	
24	4	0.00			25.0	
25	3	0.64			26.4	
26	NR				< 100	
28	NR				< 100	
29	0	-2.30			20.0	
30	2	-1.20			22.4	
32	1	1.75			28.8	
39	4	0.00			25.0	
42	4	-0.46			24.0	
50	NR				< 50	
55	3	-0.92			23.0	
63	4	0.46			26.0	
68	4	0.00			25.0	
70	4	0.00			25.0	
85	2	1.38			28.0	
100	4	0.00			25.0	
103	0	-3.22			18.0	
105	4	0.00			25.0	
109	4	0.23			25.5	
121	4	0.00			25.0	
127	2	1.20			27.6	
131	NR				< 50	
134	0	3.59			32.8	
145	0	-4.63			14.9	
182	0	< 1				

MPV = 25.0 +/- 0.6
 F-pseudosigma = 2.2
 N = 24
 Hu = 26.2
 Hl = 23.3

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

Mg (Magnesium) m g/L



0. Other	4. ICP
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
2. AA: direct N2O	12. AA: flame emission
N = 4 31 4 46 3 2	
Minimum = 1.11 0.98 0.85 1.07 1.15 1.24	
Maximum = 1.26 65 1.28 2.40 1.42 2.24	
Median = 1.22 1.25	
St Dev = 0.08 0.08	

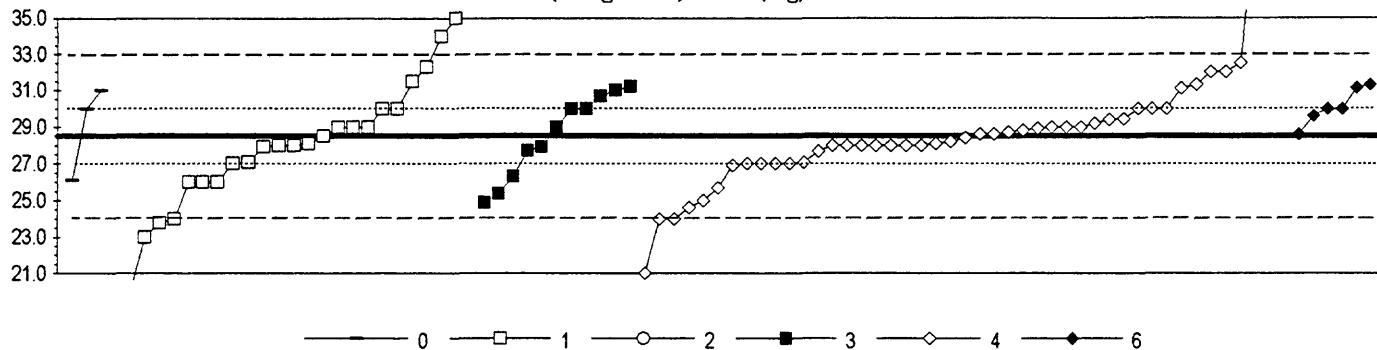
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3	3	-0.54			1.20			
5	4	0.13			1.25			
8	4	-0.13			1.23			
9	3	-0.54	1.20					
11	4	0.27	1.26					
12	3	0.81		1.30				
13	3	-0.94		1.17				
15	4	0.27			1.26			
16	3	-0.54			1.20			
18	0	2.16			1.40			
19	4	-0.13			1.23			
23	4	0.40	1.27					
24	3	0.94			1.31			
25	3	0.81			1.30			
28	0	15.65			2.40			
30	2	-1.21			1.15			
32	0	2.43			1.42			
33	4	-0.01	1.24					
36	4	0.00			1.24			
39	4	-0.13			1.23			
42	3	0.81			1.30			
43	3	-0.54			1.20			
45	4	0.00	1.24					
46	4	0.13			1.25			
48	2	1.35			1.34			
51	4	-0.27	1.22					
52	4	-0.40			1.21			
54	3	-0.54	1.20					
55	3	-0.54			1.20			
57	1	-1.89			1.10			
59	3	-0.54			1.20			
61	1	-1.89			1.10			
63	3	-0.81			1.18			
64	4	0.13			1.25			
68	3	0.81			1.30			
69	0	2.16	1.40					
70	3	0.81			1.30			
74	0	-2.16			1.08			
75	NR	< 2						
78	4	-0.13	1.23					
83	3	-0.67			1.19			
84	0	5.13			1.62			
85	4	0.27			1.26			
87	4	-0.27	1.22					
89	1	-1.89	1.10					
92	4	0.13			1.25			
94	4	-0.35			1.21			
96	4	0.00	1.24					
97	3	-0.67	1.19					

MPV = 1.24 +/- 0.01
F-pseudosigma = 0.07
N = 90
Hu = 1.30
Hl = 1.20

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	6	12
100	2	1.48			1.35			
101	4	0.13			1.25			
103	3	0.81			1.30			
105	3	-0.81			1.18			
107	4	-0.40			1.21			
109	0	2.16			1.40			
111	4	0.13			1.25			
113	0	2.16			1.40			
114	0	-5.26			0.85			
116	4	0.27			1.26			
119	3	0.67			1.29			
120	0	-3.49			0.98			
121	3	-0.54			1.20			
122	4	-0.13			1.23			
123	1	-1.62			1.12			
126	3	-0.54			1.20			
127	3	-0.81			1.18			
129	0	860.12			65			
131	2	1.08			1.32			
133	0	-2.29			1.07			
134	4	-0.40			1.21			
136	3	-0.54			1.20			
138	4	0.00			1.24			
139	3	0.54			1.28			
140	3	-0.54			1.20			
141	4	0.13			1.25			
145	1	-1.89			1.10			
146	1	1.62			1.36			
151	3	-0.54			1.20			
153	3	-0.54	1.20					
155	1	-1.82	1.11					
164	4	0.26			1.26			
167	3	-0.54			1.20			
179	0	7.55			1.80			
180	3	0.94			1.31			
182	1	-1.89	1.10					
191	3	0.81			1.30			
193	1	1.89			1.38			
201	0	13.49			2.24			
202	3	0.81			1.30			
204	0	3.64			1.51			

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

Mn (Manganese) $\mu\text{g/L}$



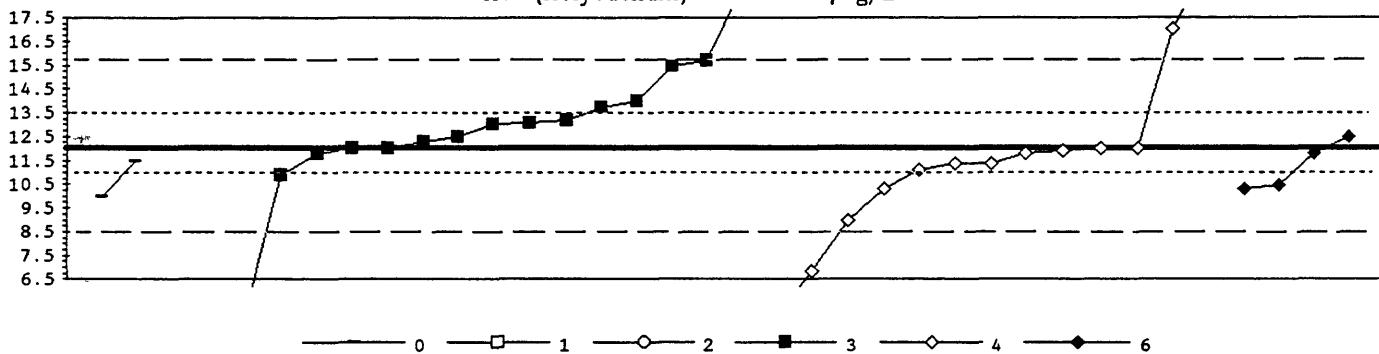
0. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct N ₂ O	6. ICP/MS
N = 3	24
Minimum = 26.1	20.0
Maximum = 31.0	35.0
Median = 28.1	29.0
St Dev = 3.1	2.3

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
1	4	0.44				29.4		
3	3	-0.65				27.0		
5	4	0.20				28.9		
8	4	-0.16				28.1		
9	4	-0.25			27.9			
11	3	0.70	30.0					
12	3	0.70			30.0			
13	3	-0.61		27.1				
15	1	-1.73				24.6		
16	4	-0.20				28.0		
18	1	-1.55				25.0		
19	2	-1.24				25.7		
23	2	1.01			30.7			
24	4	-0.02				28.4		
25	4	0.16				28.8		
26	NR				< 200			
28	3	0.70			30.0			
29	2	-1.10		26.0				
30	4	0.07				28.6		
32	3	0.52				29.6		
33	2	1.15	31.0					
36	2	-1.06	26.1					
37	2	1.28			31.3			
39	1	1.60			32.0			
42	4	-0.20			28.0			
43	4	0.25			29.0			
45	0	2.50		34.0				
46	4	0.34			29.2			
48	0	5.19			40.0			
50	4	0.25			29.0			
51	3	0.70			30.0			
52	3	-0.61			27.1			
54	2	-1.10		26.0				
55	3	-0.70			26.9			
57	0	2.95	35.0					
58	3	-0.65			27.0			
59	4	-0.20			28.0			
61	3	0.70			30.0			
63	4	0.25			29.0			
68	3	-0.65			27.0			
70	4	0.25			29.0			
74	3	-0.65			27.0			
76	4	0.25	29.0					
78	4	-0.25			27.9			
83	1	1.73			32.3			
84	3	0.70			30.0			
85	0	-2.00			24.0			
87	4	-0.20			28.0			
89	0	-2.09			23.8			
90	0	-2.45			23.0			

MPV = 28.5 +/- 0.3
F-pseudosigma = 2.2
N = 88
Hu = 30.0
H1 = 27.0

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
91	3	0.70						30.0
92	2	-1.10			26.0			
94	4	-0.20						28.0
96	4	0.25			29.0			
97	2	1.24					31.2	
100	2	1.37			31.5			
101	4	0.43						29.4
103	0	-2.00						24.0
105	4	-0.20						28.0
107	4	0.02			28.5			
109	4	-0.20			28.0			
113	4	-0.34					27.7	
114	3	0.70			30.0			
116	1	1.60						32.0
119	4	-0.20						28.0
120	3	-0.97					26.3	
121	3	-0.65						27.0
122	2	-1.37						25.4
127	4	0.11						28.7
129	0	-3.80			20.0			
131	0							< 10
133	4	0.07						28.6
134	0	-2.00						24.0
136	3	0.70						30.0
138	4	-0.11						28.2
139	2	1.15						31.0
140	4	-0.16			28.1			
141	4	0.07						28.6
145	4	-0.35						27.7
146	2	1.28						31.3
149	4	0.25			29.0			
153	1	-1.60						24.9
161	0	-3.35						21.0
179	0	-7.85					11.0	
180	2	1.19						31.1
182	0	-3.80			20.0			
191	3	0.70						30.0
196	2	1.21						31.1
202	4	-0.20						28.0
204	1	1.82						32.5

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued
 Mo (Molybdenum) $\mu\text{g/L}$

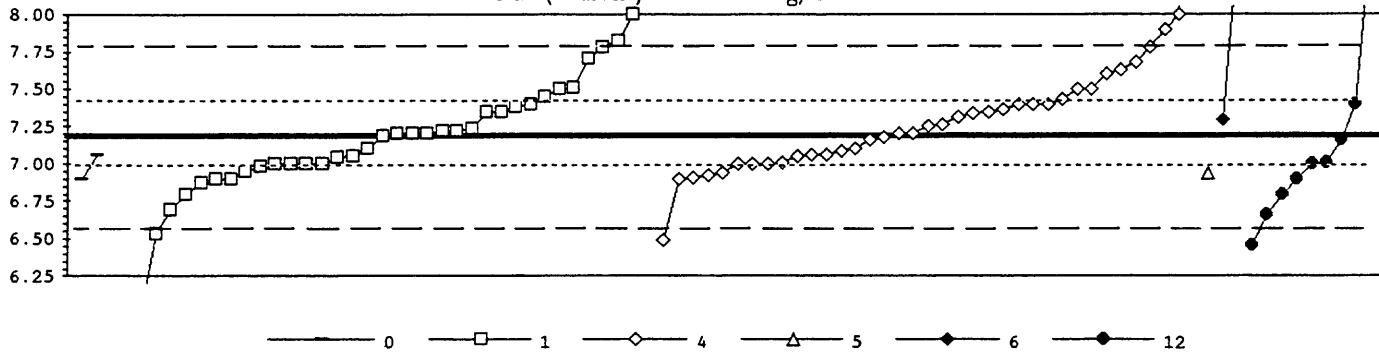


0. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct N ₂ O	6. ICP/MS
N =	2 1 1 15 13 4
Minimum =	10.0 50.0 50.0 5.0 5.0 10.3
Maximum =	11.5 18.8 20.0 12.5
Median =	13.0 11.4
St Dev =	1.4 1.0

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
1	4	-0.28	11.5					
3	NR					< 10		
5	4	-0.50				11.1		
11	2	-1.10	10.0					
12	NR					< 20		
15	4	0.17			12.3			
16	NR					< 30		
24	4	-0.06				11.9		
26	NR					< 50		
28	0	4.40				20.0		
29	0	20.92		50.0				
30	4	0.28				12.5		
32	4	-0.11				11.8		
39	1	-1.65				9.0		
42	3	-0.94				10.3		
45	1	1.93			15.5			
46	NR					< 140		
48	NR					< 10		
50	4	0.00			12.0			
52	3	0.94			13.7			
61	NR					< 10		
68	0	2.75				17.0		
70	NR					< 50		
74	3	-0.94				10.3		
75	4	0.28			12.5			
85	NR					< 50		
97	2	1.10			14.0			
100	4	-0.11				11.8		
103	4	0.00				12.0		
105	4	0.00				12.0		
120	0	3.72			18.8			
121	3	0.55			13.0			
127	3	0.66			13.2			
131	NR					< 100		
133	0	-2.83				6.9		
136	4	0.00			12.0			
138	4	-0.11				11.8		
141	4	-0.33				11.4		
145	0					< 4		
146	4	-0.33				11.4		
149	0	2.04			15.7			
151	3	-0.61				10.9		
167	0	-3.85				5.0		
182	0	20.92	50.0					
183	3	0.61			13.1			
196	3	-0.85				10.5		
202	0	-3.85				5.0		

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

Na (Sodium) m g/L



0. Other	5. DCP
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
4. ICP	12. AA: flame emission
N =	2 38 37 1 2 9
Minimum =	6.90 5.10 6.49 6.94 7.30 6.45
Maximum =	7.06 8.80 15.70 8.40 8.46
Median =	7.20 7.25 6.95
St Dev =	0.33 0.31 0.29

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	5	6	12
1	3	-0.94	6.90					
3	2	1.04	7.50					
5	3	0.54		7.35				
8	3	-0.87		6.92				
9	3	0.71	7.40					
11	4	-0.41	7.06					
12	0	2.68		8.00				
13	0	2.68		8.00				
15	2	1.46		7.63				
16	NR			< 10				
18	3	0.71	7.40					
19	0	-2.29		6.49				
23	2	1.07		7.51				
24	3	0.81		7.43				
25	1	1.63	7.68					
28	0	28.02		15.70				
32	0	4.00			8.40			
33	3	-0.82			6.94			
36	3	-0.58				7.01		
37	4	0.18		7.24				
39	2	1.37	7.60					
42	3	-0.61		7.00				
43	3	-0.61		7.00				
45	0	-2.16		6.53				
46	3	0.58		7.36				
48	3	0.71	7.40					
51	3	-0.94			6.90			
52	3	-0.58		7.01				
54	4	0.05		7.20				
55	4	-0.08			7.16			
57	3	-0.94	6.90					
59	3	0.71	7.40					
61	3	-0.61		7.00				
63	0	2.09	7.82					
64	4	0.12	7.22					
68	2	1.04	7.50					
69	3	-0.61			7.00			
70	4	0.21		7.25				
74	4	0.41		7.31				
75	3	-0.77	6.95					
78	3	-0.94	6.90					
83	3	0.54	7.35					
84	0	4.20			8.46			
85	4	0.12	7.22					
87	4	0.05	7.20					
89	3	-0.67	6.98					
90	3	0.71			7.40			
92	3	0.87	7.45					
94	4	-0.40		7.06				
96	4	-0.48	7.04					

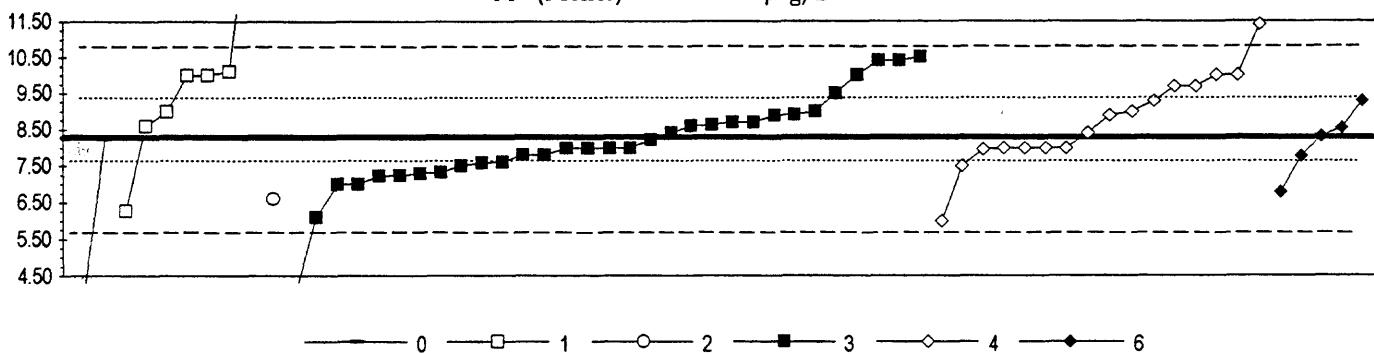
MPV = 7.19 +/- 0.04
F-pseudosigma = 0.30
N = 88
Hu = 7.40
Hl = 6.99

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	5	6	12
97	4	-0.44	7.05					
100	0	2.35		7.90				
101	4	-0.28		7.10				
103	2	1.04		7.50				
105	3	-0.90		6.91				
107	2	-1.04	6.87					
109	4	0.05	7.20					
111	4	0.02	7.19					
113	1	1.69	7.70					
114	0	-5.71	5.45					
116	4	-0.28		7.10				
119	4	-0.44		7.05				
120	1	-1.62	6.69					
121	4	0.05		7.20				
122	3	0.64	7.38					
123	3	0.54	7.35					
127	3	-0.81		6.94				
129	2	-1.27	6.80					
131	4	-0.41		7.06				
133	4	-0.35	7.08					
134	3	-0.61	7.00					
136	3	-0.61	7.00					
138	4	-0.08		7.16				
139	1	-1.73						6.66
140	3	-0.61	7.00					
141	4	0.25		7.26				
145	4	-0.02		7.18				
146	1	1.96		7.78				
151	3	-0.61		7.00				
153	3	-0.94	6.90					
164	1	1.96	7.78					
167	4	0.05		7.20				
179	0	-6.86	5.10					
180	3	0.51		7.34				
182	0	-3.90	6.00					
191	4	0.38		7.30				
193	0	5.31	8.80					
201	0	-2.41						6.45
204	2	-1.27						6.80

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

Ni (Nickel)

$\mu\text{ g/L}$



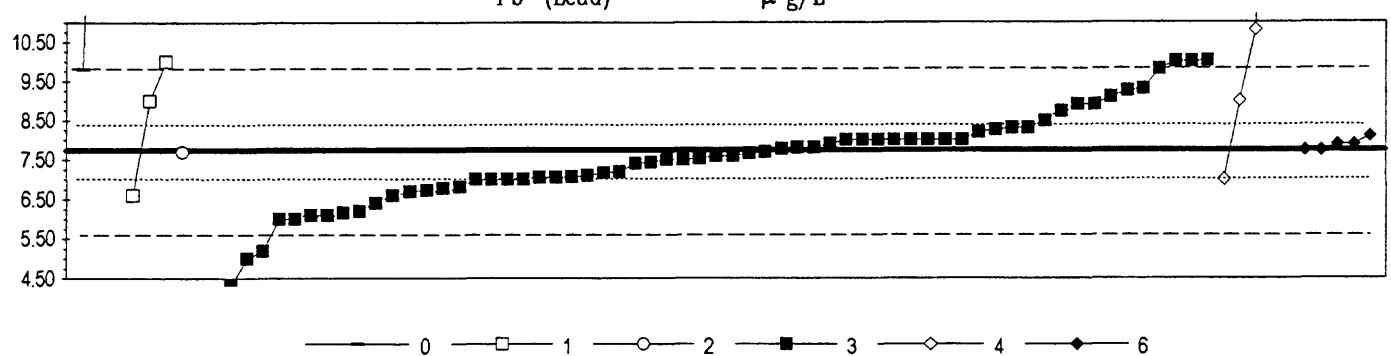
0. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct N2O	6. ICP/MS
N =	2 7 1 31 16 5
Minimum =	4.10 6.27 6.60 3.94 6.00 6.80
Maximum =	8.24 15.10 10.50 11.40 9.30
Median =	9.50 8.00 8.65
St Dev =	1.47 1.09 1.28

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
1	4	0.33			8.70			
3	NR				< 20			
6	3	-0.54			7.61			
9	2	-1.02			7.00			
11	0	-3.32	4.10					
12	NR				< 20			
13	NR			< 50				
15	4	-0.38			7.80			
16	NR				< 25			
18	1	-1.81			6.00			
23	1	-1.60	6.27					
24	2	1.12			9.70			
26	NR				< 10			
28	2	1.36			10.00			
29	NR				< 10			
30	4	0.04			8.33			
32	3	0.81			9.30			
36	4	-0.04	8.24					
37	4	0.21			8.55			
42	2	-1.18			6.80			
45	0	-3.45		3.94				
46	NR				< 25			
48	3	-0.54			7.60			
50	4	-0.23			8.00			
51	2	-1.02			7.00			
52	4	-0.38			7.80			
55	4	0.09			8.40			
57	NR			< 100				
58	4	0.25			8.60			
59	2	1.36			10.00			
61	NR				< 10			
63	4	0.33			8.70			
68	3	0.81			9.30			
69	3	0.57			9.00			
70	NR				< 50			
73	3	0.57			9.00			
74	4	-0.23			8.00			
75	3	-0.76			7.33			
78	1	1.68			10.40			
85	NR				< 10			
87	NR			< 10				
89	NR				< 25			
90	3	0.96			9.50			
92	3	0.57		9.00				
94	4	-0.27			7.95			
97	4	0.50			8.91			
100	2	1.44	10.10					
101	4	0.49			8.90			
103	3	-0.62			7.50			
105	4	-0.23			8.00			

MPV = 8.29 +/- 0.22
F-pseudosigma = 1.26
N = 62
Hu = 9.30
Hl = 7.60

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
111	3	-0.62			7.50			
113	4	0.28			8.64			
114	2	1.36			10.00			
119	1	1.76			10.50			
120	3	-0.84			7.23			
121	2	1.36			10.00			
127	4	-0.05			8.22			
131	NR				< 26			
133	0	2.47			11.40			
134	4	0.49			8.90			
136	4	-0.23			8.00			
138	3	-0.78			7.30			
139	3	-0.82			7.25			
140	4	0.25			8.60			
141	4	-0.23			8.00			
144	1	-1.73			6.10			
145	0				< 5			
146	4	-0.23			7.99			
149	4	-0.23			8.00			
167	4	-0.23			8.00			
179	2	-1.34			6.60			
180	NR				< 7			
182	2	1.36			10.00			
183	1	1.68			10.40			
193	NR				< 10			
196	4	-0.39			7.79			
201	0	5.41			15.10			
202	4	0.09			8.40			
204	2	1.12			9.70			

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued



0. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP
2. AA: direct N2O	6. ICP/MS
N =	3 3 1 63 5 5
Minimum =	9.80 6.60 7.70 3.10 7.00 7.74
Maximum =	35.30 10.00 10.02 245 8.10
Median =	7.60
St Dev =	1.11

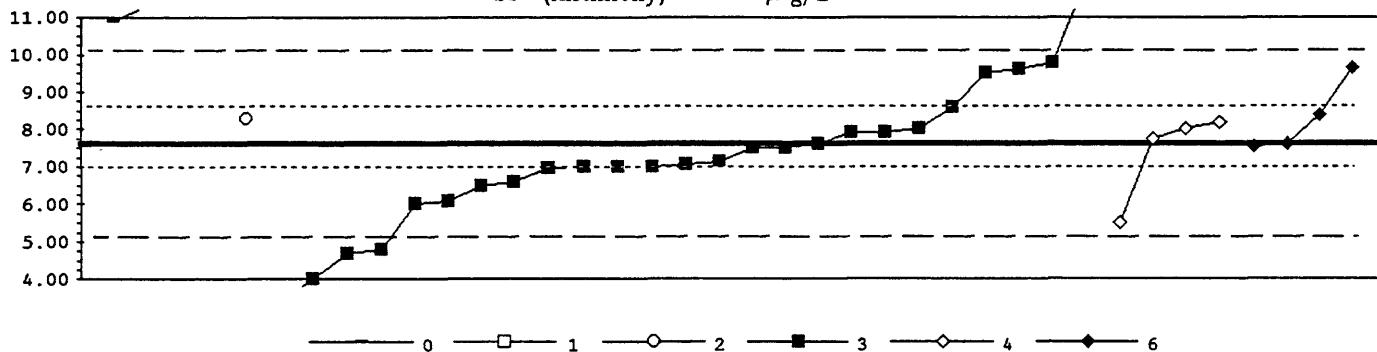
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
1	4	0.25			8.00			
3	0	-2.47			5.20			
5	NR				< 30			
6	3	-0.57			7.16			
9	0	2.19			10.00			
11	1	1.99	9.80					
12	NR				< 10			
13	3	0.71			8.48			
15	3	-0.67			7.05			
16	NR				< 30			
18	3	-0.72			7.00			
23	3	-0.66			7.07			
24	4	0.25			8.00			
26	1	-1.69			6.00			
28	0	230.26			245			
29	4	-0.31			7.43			
30	4	0.14				7.89		
32	4	0.34				8.10		
33	0	26.74	35.30					
36	3	-0.94			6.78			
37	4	0.00			7.74			
42	4	0.00			7.75			
45	3	-0.53			7.20			
46	4	-0.33			7.40			
48	4	-0.24			7.50			
50	4	0.25			8.00			
51	0	-3.63			4.00			
52	4	0.03			7.78			
55	3	-0.63			7.10			
57	4	0.25			8.00			
59	3	-0.72			7.00			
61	1	-1.60			6.10			
63	2	-1.11			6.60			
68	1	-1.60			6.10			
69	3	-0.72			7.00			
70	4	0.05			7.80			
74	3	-0.92			6.80			
76	3	0.95			8.72			
78	4	-0.24			7.50			
79	4	-0.14			7.60			
80	4	0.25			8.00			
83	2	-1.50			6.20			
85	3	-0.72			7.00			
87	2	-1.11	6.60					
89	2	1.31			9.09			
90	2	1.12			8.90			
92	2	1.22	9.00					
94	1	-1.54			6.16			
96	4	0.16			7.91			
97	2	1.46			9.25			

MPV = 7.75 +/- 0.16
F-pseudosigma = 1.03
N = 80
Hu = 8.39
H1 = 7.00

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
100.	1	1.99				9.80		
101.	0	2.96					10.80	
103.	2	1.22					9.00	
105.	2	1.12					8.90	
107.	3	-0.99					6.72	
108.	0	2.19					10.00	
109.	0	-4.51					3.10	
111.	4	-0.04					7.70	
113.	4	-0.07					7.67	
114.	NR					< 10		
119.	3	0.54					8.30	
120.	4	-0.21					7.53	
121.	4	0.44					8.20	
122.	4	0.25					8.00	
126.	4	0.25					8.00	
127.	3	-0.67					7.05	
131.	NR						< 100	
133.	0	14.03					22.20	
134.	4	0.05					7.80	
136.	3	-0.72					7.00	
138.	4	-0.14					7.60	
139.	0	2.21					10.02	
140.	0	2.19				10.00		
141.	2	-1.31					6.40	
144.	0	-2.66					5.00	
145.	NR						< 25	
146.	0						< 3	
149.	1	-1.69					6.00	
158.	2	-1.01					6.70	
167.	4	0.25					8.00	
179.	4	-0.04				7.70		
180.	NR						< 12	
182.	0	11.89	20.00					
183.	4	0.50					8.26	
193.	NR					< 10		
196.1	4	0.14						7.89
196.2	3	0.54						8.30
201.	0						< 2	
202.	1	1.51						9.30
204.	0	-3.34						4.30

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

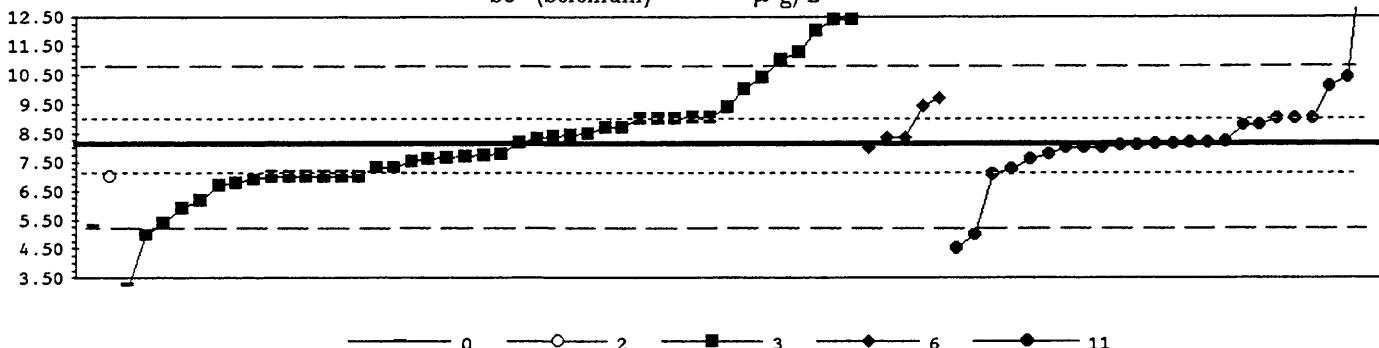
Sb (Antimony) $\mu\text{g/L}$



0. Other	3. AA: graphite furnace						
1. AA: direct air	4. ICP						
2. AA: direct N2O	6. ICP/MS						
N =	2 2 1 25 4 4						
Minimum =	10.90 100 8.30 3.35 5.50 7.53						
Maximum =	11.30 150 12.00 8.20 9.65						
Median =	7.06						
St Dev =	1.47						
Lab	Rating Z-value	0	1	2	3	4	6
1	0	2.74	10.90				
3	1	1.66		9.60			
11	0	3.08	11.30				
12	NR			< 100			
15	0	-3.54		3.35			
16	NR			< 60			
23	1	1.81		9.78			
24	0	-2.42		4.70			
28	NR		< 100				
30	4	0.00			7.60		
32	3	0.66			8.40		
36	1	1.59		9.51			
37	4	-0.06			7.53		
45	4	0.00		7.61			
48	0	-2.34		4.80			
52	4	-0.40		7.13			
55	2	-1.25		6.10			
57	NR		< 10				
59	4	0.33		8.00			
61	NR			< 50			
63	4	-0.09		7.50			
68	3	-0.92		6.50			
74	4	-0.09		7.50			
78	3	0.83		8.60			
85	0	-3.00		4.00			
87	4	0.33		8.00			
97	4	-0.45		7.06			
100	0	3.66		12.00			
105	4	0.25		7.90			
114	0	118.57	150				
119	4	0.25		7.90			
120	3	-0.52		6.98			
127	4	-0.50		7.00			
131	NR		< 50				
133	1	-1.75		5.50			
136	4	-0.50		7.00			
138	3	-0.84		6.60			
141	4	0.50		8.20			
146	4	0.10		7.73			
149	4	-0.50		7.00			
179	3	0.58		8.30			
180	NR			< 13			
182	0	76.94	100		9.65		
196	1	1.70					
202	2	-1.34		6.00			

MPV = 7.61 +/- 0.26
F-pseudosigma = 1.20
N = 38
Hu = 8.60
Hl = 6.98

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

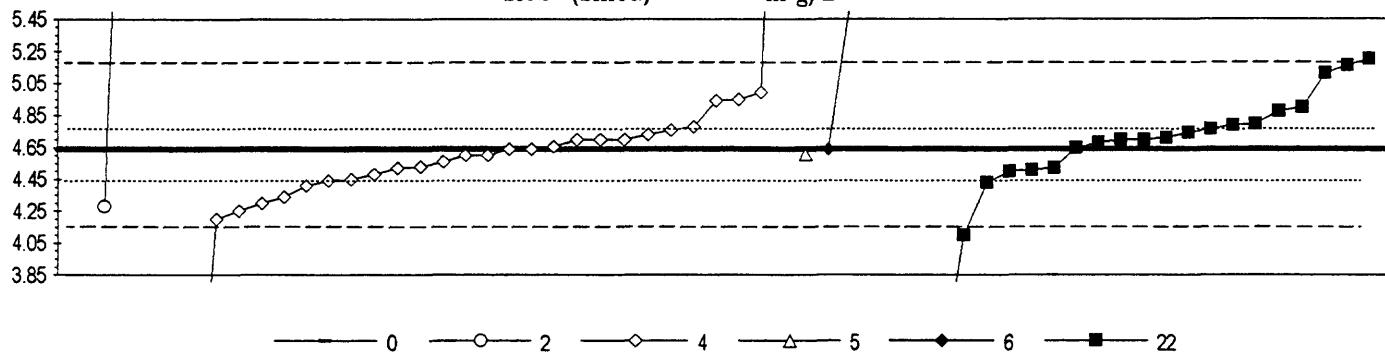
Se (Selenium) $\mu\text{g/L}$ 

0. Other		4. ICP		11. AA: hydride				
2. AA: direct N ₂ O	6. ICP/MS	N =	1	1	42			
3. AA: graphite furnace		Minimum =	5.30	7.00	3.11			
		Maximum =		12.40	9.70 15.70			
		Median =		7.73	8.12			
		St Dev =		1.54	1.30			
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	2	3	4	6	11
1	4	0.48					8.80	
3	3	-0.87		6.90				
5	NR				< 40			
8	0	-2.22				5.00		
11	0	-2.00	5.30					
12	3	0.62		9.00				
13	4	0.27		8.50				
15	4	-0.03			8.08			
16	3	-0.80		7.00				
18	2	1.41				10.10		
23	0	-3.56		3.11				
24	1	1.62				10.40		
26	3	0.62				9.00		
28	4	-0.09			8.00			
29	3	0.91		9.40				
30	4	0.18				8.37		
35	4	0.01				8.13		
36	3	-0.79		7.01				
37	3	0.93				9.43		
39	4	-0.23				7.80		
42	2	1.12			9.70			
45	4	-0.33		7.66				
46	4	0.41		8.70				
48	3	-0.80		7.00				
50	4	-0.09			8.00			
52	4	0.07				8.22		
55	1	1.62		10.40				
57	4	-0.09				8.00		
58	0	-2.57				4.50		
61	4	-0.23		7.80				
63	3	-0.58		7.30				
68	4	0.41		8.70				
69	4	0.20		8.40				
70	3	-0.58		7.30				
74	4	0.06		8.20				
75	4	0.00				8.12		
76	3	0.66		9.05				
78	2	-1.01		6.70				
79	2	1.33		10.00				
80	3	0.62		9.00				
85	4	-0.01				8.10		
87	4	0.06				8.20		
89	4	-0.35				7.63		
90	0	2.26		11.30				
94	4	-0.28		7.73				
96	3	0.67		9.07				
97	3	0.62				9.00		
100	0	-2.22		5.00				
105	4	0.23		8.44				
107	0	3.04		12.40				

MPV = 8.12 +/- 0.22
F-pseudosigma = 1.41
N = 73
Hu = 9.00
Hl = 7.10

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	2	3	4	6	11
108.	3	-0.94			6.80			
109.	3	-0.80			7.00			
113.	4	-0.30				7.70		
119.	3	-0.72					7.10	
120.	0	5.38					15.70	
122.	3	-0.62						7.25
127.	4	-0.43				7.51		
131.	NR					< 100		
133.	1	-1.58				5.90		
134.	4	0.06						8.20
136.	3	0.62				9.00		
138.	4	0.48					8.80	
139.	0	2.06				11.02		
141.	3	0.62						9.00
146.	1	-1.93				5.40		
149.	2	-1.36				6.20		
167.	3	-0.80				7.00		
179.	3	-0.80			7.00			
180.	NR						< 13	
182.	4	-0.09						8.00
183.	4	0.13					8.30	
193.	3	-0.80				7.00		
196.1	4	0.18						8.38
196.2	0	2.75				12.00		
202.	4	-0.37				7.60		
204.	0	3.04				12.40		

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued
 SiO₂ (Silica) m g/L



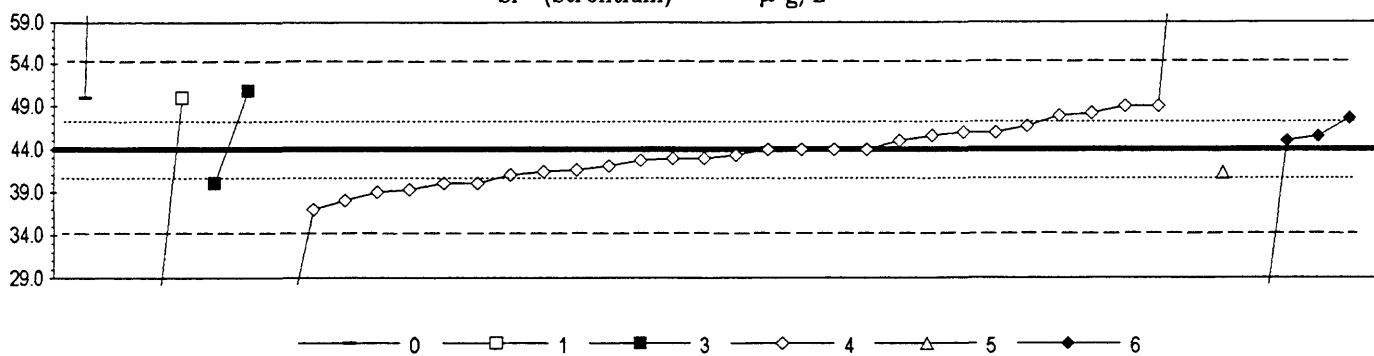
0. Other	5. DCP
2. AA: direct N2O	6. ICP/MS
4. ICP	22. Color: molybdate
N = 1 2 29 1 2 23	
Minimum = 13.10 4.28 1.89 4.61 4.64 0.08	
Maximum = 8.00 8.61 5.60 5.20	
Median = 4.60 4.71	
St Dev = 0.21 0.26	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	2	4	5	6	22
1	4	0.06		4.66				
2	4	0.49				4.77		
3	4	0.23			4.70			
5	4	0.35			4.73			
8	3	-0.77		4.44				
9	0	-2.08				4.10		
11	0	32.61 13.10						
13	4	-0.50				4.51		
15	3	-0.73		4.45				
23	4	0.27				4.71		
24	2	1.19		4.95				
25	0	-10.60			1.89			
28	2	-1.50			4.25			
29	2	-1.39	4.28					
32	0	3.70			5.60			
33	4	-0.12			4.61			
39	2	-1.16		4.34				
42	4	0.23			4.70			
43	4	0.23			4.70			
45	4	0.00		4.64				
51	4	0.04				4.65		
52	0	-6.32				3.00		
55	2	1.36		4.99				
57	2	-1.31		4.30				
58	0	-17.57			0.08			
61	0	-9.40		2.20				
63	4	0.00			4.64			
64	3	-0.89		4.41				
70	3	0.93			4.88			
75	4	0.15			4.68			
78	0	12.95	8.00					
87	3	1.00			4.90			
89	4	-0.46			4.52			
92	3	-0.81			4.43			
97	0	-5.55			3.20			
100	4	-0.15		4.60				
101	4	-0.31			4.56			
103	1	-1.70		4.20				
104	3	-0.54			4.50			
105	4	-0.46		4.52				
113	1	1.81			5.11			
118	4	0.23			4.70			
119	3	0.54		4.78				
121	4	-0.15		4.60				
127	4	-0.42		4.53				
131	3	-0.62		4.48				
134	4	0.46		4.76				
138	3	0.58			4.79			
141	0	2.16			5.20			
145	0	15.30	8.61					

MPV = 4.64 +/- 0.05
 F-pseudosigma = 0.26
 N = 58
 Hu = 4.78
 Hl = 4.43

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	2	4	5	6	22
146	0	-8.44		2.45				
151	4	0.23					4.70	
155	4	0.39					4.74	
161	0	-9.75					2.11	
167	3	0.62					4.80	
185	0	2.00						5.16
191	4	0.00						4.64
204	2	1.16					4.94	

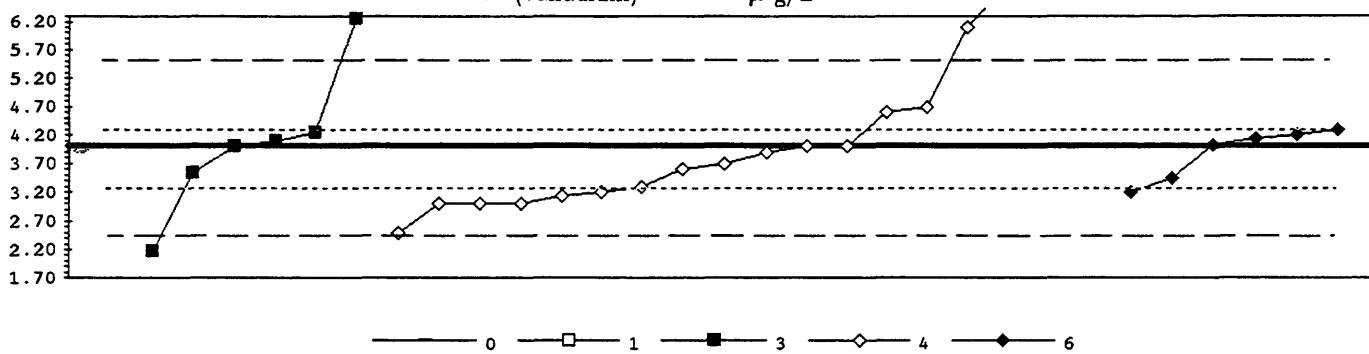
Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued
 Sr (Strontium) $\mu\text{g/L}$



0. Other		4. ICP					
1. AA: direct air	5. DCP						
3. AA: graphite furnace	6. ICP/MS						
N =	2 2 2 29 1 4						
Minimum =	50.0 15.0 40.0 19.0 41.3 15.1						
Maximum =	200.0 50.0 50.8 90.0 47.6						
Median =	43.3						
St Dev =	3.3						
Lab	Rating Z-value	0	1	3	4	5	6
1	4	0.32		45.6			
3	3	-0.81		40.0			
8	4	-0.14		43.3			
9	0		< 30				
11	2	1.22	50.0				
15	3	-0.53		41.4			
16	2	-1.01		39.0			
18	2	1.01		49.0			
24	4	-0.22		42.9			
25	3	0.85		48.2			
26	NR		< 250				
28	0	9.33		90.0			
29	0	-5.88	15.0				
32	3	0.73			47.6		
33	3	-0.55			41.3		
37	4	0.30		45.5			
39	2	1.01		49.0			
42	4	0.41		46.0			
52	4	-0.41		42.0			
55	0	-5.07		19.0			
59	4	0.20		45.0			
63	3	0.79		47.9			
68	3	-0.81		40.0			
70	4	0.00		44.0			
74	2	-1.42		37.0			
97	2	1.38	50.8				
100	3	-0.95		39.3			
103	2	-1.22		38.0			
105	4	0.00		44.0			
109	2	1.22	50.0				
113	NR		< 200				
116	4	0.41		46.0			
121	4	0.00		44.0			
127	4	-0.22		42.9			
131	4	0.00		44.0			
134	3	-0.61		41.0			
138	4	-0.26		42.7			
141	3	-0.81	40.0				
145	4	-0.50		41.6			
146	3	0.55		46.7			
182	0	31.65	200.0				
191	4	0.20		45.0			
196	0	-5.87		15.1			

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

V (Vanadium)

 $\mu\text{ g/L}$ 

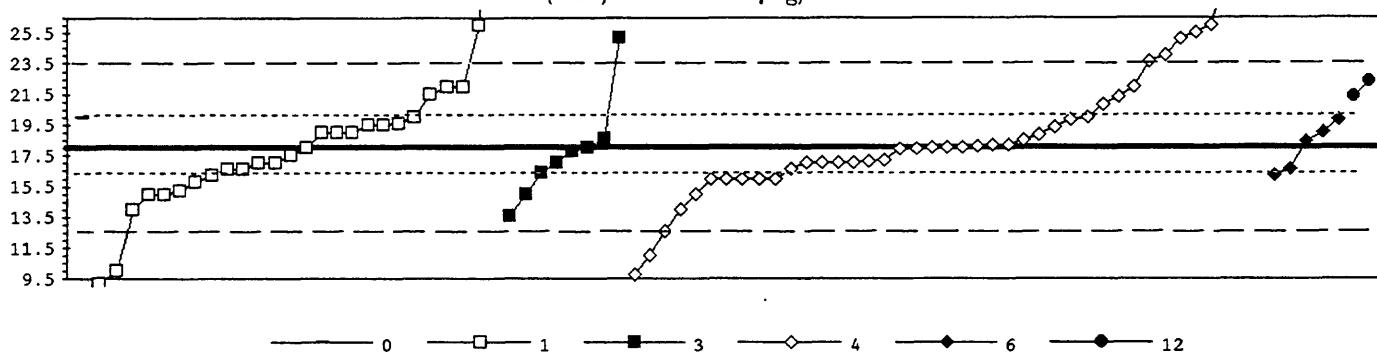
0. Other	4. ICP
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
3. AA: graphite furnace	
N =	1 0 6 18 6
Minimum =	4.00 2.18 2.50 3.20
Maximum =	6.25 20.00 4.29
Median =	3.60
St Dev =	0.90
Lab	Rating Z-value
1	3 -0.74
3	NR
11	4 0.00 4.00
15	3 -0.61
16	NR < 10
18	2 -1.32
24	0 4.76
26	NR < 100
28	0 21.16
30	4 0.04
32	4 0.26
37	4 0.17
39	0 3.84
42	2 -1.06
48	NR < 200
50	NR < 5
52	0 -2.41
55	1 -1.98
57	NR < 100
61	NR < 5
63	NR < 10
68	0 2.78
70	NR < 10
74	2 -1.06
94	3 -0.93
97	0 2.98
100	2 -1.15
101	4 0.00
103	2 -1.32
105	2 -1.32
121	4 0.00
127	4 0.33
133	3 0.93
134	4 0.13
136	4 0.00
138	3 -0.53
141	4 -0.40
145	0 < 2
146	4 -0.13
167	NR < 30
180	3 0.79
182	NR < 200
196	4 0.38

MPV = 4.00 +/- 0.18
 F-pseudosigma = 0.76
 N = 31
 Hu = 4.27
 Hl = 3.25

Table 11. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample T-121 (trace constituent)--Continued

Zn (Zinc)

$\mu\text{ g/L}$



0. Other	4. ICP
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
3. AA: graphite furnace	12. AA: flame emission
N = 1 26 8 41 5 2	
Minimum = 20.0 9.2 13.6 9.8 16.3 21.3	
Maximum = 36.2 25.2 50.0 19.8 22.3	
Median = 17.8 18.0	
St Dev = 5.1 6.5	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6	12
1	2	1.21			21.3			
3	4	-0.37			17.0			
5	3	0.66			19.8			
6	2	1.21				21.3		
8	4	0.07			18.2			
9	4	-0.37		17.0				
11	3	0.73	20.0					
12	NR				< 20			
13	4	0.00		18.0				
15	4	0.29			18.8			
16	0	-2.57			11.0			
18	3	-0.73			16.0			
19	1	-1.98			12.6			
23	2	-1.03	15.2					
24	4	-0.33			17.1			
25	4	-0.04			17.9			
26	NR				< 250			
28	0	4.40			30.0			
29	4	-0.37	17.0					
30	3	-0.51			16.6			
32	4	0.37			19.0			
36	1	1.58			22.3			
37	3	0.66			19.8			
39	3	0.73			20.0			
42	4	0.15			18.4			
45	3	-0.51	16.6					
46	4	-0.04			17.9			
48	0	11.75			50.0			
50	4	0.00			18.0			
51	4	0.37	19.0					
52	4	0.07			18.2			
55	4	-0.29			17.2			
57	NR				< 20			
59	4	0.00			18.0			
61	4	-0.37			17.0			
63	4	-0.37			17.0			
68	2	-1.47			14.0			
70	4	-0.37			17.0			
73	4	0.18			18.5			
74	3	-0.51			16.6			
75	3	-0.51	16.6					
78	4	-0.18			17.5			
79	3	-0.73			16.0			
83	0	-3.23			9.2			
85	3	-0.66			16.2			
87	4	0.37	19.0					
89	NR				< 40			
90	4	-0.37			17.0			
92	2	-1.47			14.0			
94	0	2.20			24.0			

MPV = 18.0 +/- 0.4
F-pseudosigma = 2.7
N = 83
Hu = 20.0
Hl = 16.3

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	3	4	6	12
96	2	1.47	22.0					
97	3	-0.59			16.4			
100	0	6.68			36.2			
101	0	2.75				25.5		
103	3	-0.73				16.0		
105	4	0.00				18.0		
107	3	-0.81			15.8			
111	4	0.22				18.6		
113	0	2.94			26.0			
114	3	0.73			20.0			
119	4	0.00				18.0		
120	1	-1.62				13.6		
121	2	1.47				22.0		
122	4	-0.07			17.8			
123	0	2.62			25.2			
127	3	0.55			19.5			
131	NR				< 50			
133	2	1.03			20.8			
134	3	-0.73			16.0			
136	2	-1.10			15.0			
138	4	0.04			18.1			
139	2	-1.10			15.0			
140	3	0.55			19.5			
141	0	2.06				23.6		
144	4	0.37			19.0			
145	0	-3.01				9.8		
146	0	4.18				29.4		
149	2	1.47			22.0			
151	3	0.59			19.6			
158	2	-1.10			15.0			
161	2	-1.10			15.0			
167	0	2.94			26.0			
180	4	0.48			19.3			
182	0	-2.94			10.0			
193	NR				< 40			
196	3	-0.64				16.3		
201	2	1.28			21.5			
202	3	-0.73				16.0		
204	0	2.61				25.1		

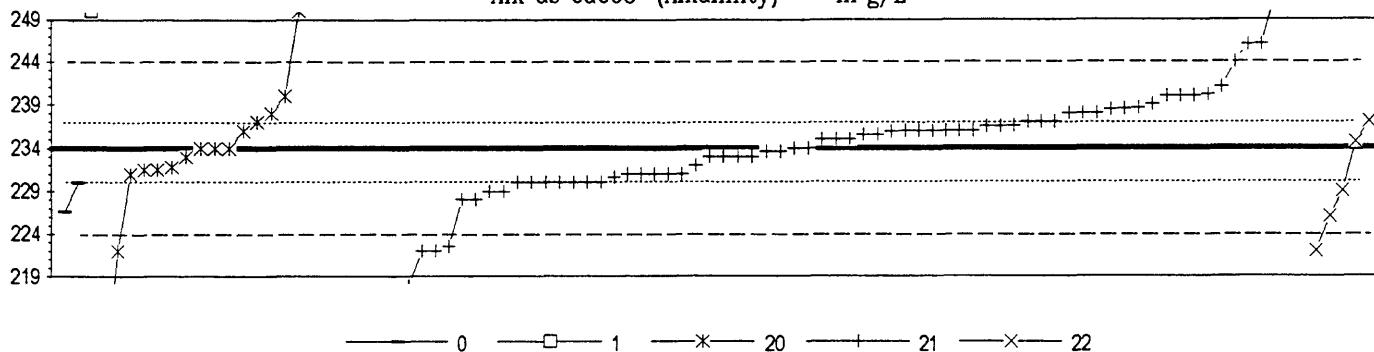
Table 12.-- Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sample M-124 (major constituents)

<u>Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols</u>	
<u>Analytical methods</u>	
0. Other/Not reported	
1. AA: direct, air	= atomic absorption: direct, air
2. AA: direct, N2O	= atomic absorption: direct, nitrous oxide
3. AA: graphite furnace	= atomic absorption: graphite furnace
4. ICP	= inductively coupled plasma
5. DCP	= direct current plasma
6. ICP/MS	= mass spectrometry/inductively coupled plasma
7. IC	= ion chromatography
12. Flame photo	= flame photometric
20. Titrate: color	= titration: colorimetric [color reagent specified]
21. Titrate: electro	= titration: electrometric
22. Color:	= colorimetric [color reagent specified]
40. Ion electrode	= ion selective electrode
41. Electro	= electrometric: [type meter specified]
50. Gravimetric	= gravimetric: [precipitate specified]

<u>Abbreviations and symbols</u>	
N =	number of samples
St dev =	traditional standard deviation
MPV =	95% confidence most probable value
F-pseudosigma =	nonparametric statistic deviation
Hu =	upper hinge value
Hl =	lower hinge value
m g/L =	milligrams per liter
μ g/L =	micrograms per liter
μ S/cm =	microsiemens per centimeter at 25 °C
Lab =	laboratory code number
NR =	not rated, less than value reported
< =	less than

<u>Constituent</u>	<u>page</u>
Alk Alkalinity as CaCO ₃	62
B Boron	63
Ca Calcium	64
Cl Chloride	65
DSRD Dissolved solids	66
F Fluoride	67
K Potassium	68
Mg Magnesium	69
Na Sodium	70
total P Phosphorus	71
pH	72
SiO ₂ Silica	73
SO ₄ Sulfate	74
Sp Cond Specific Conductance	75
Sr Strontium	76
V Vanadium	77

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued
 Alk as CaCO₃ (Alkalinity) m g/L



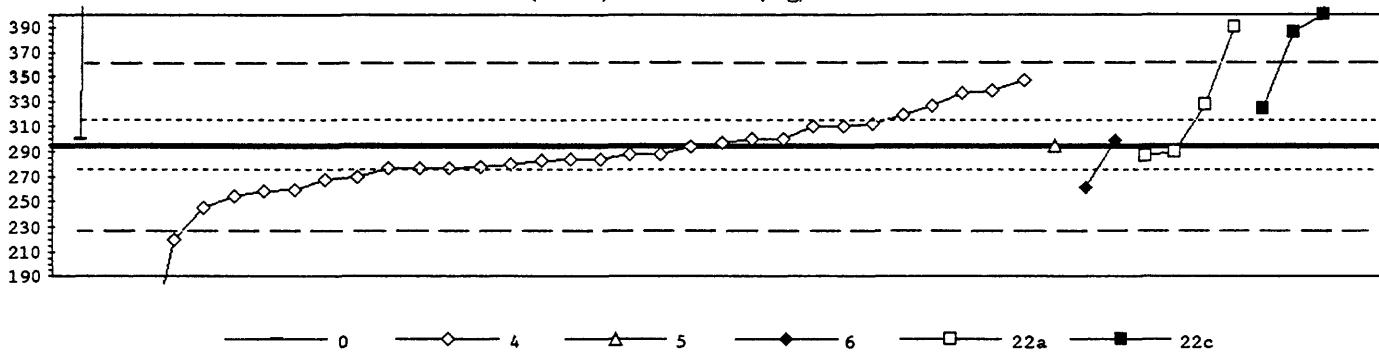
0. Other	21. Titration: electro
1. AA: direct air	22. Colorimetric
20. Titration: color	
N =	2 1 16 72 5
Minimum =	227 250 206 23 222
Maximum =	230 255 614 237
Median =	234 235
St Dev =	4 5

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	20	21	22
1	3	0.85			238		
3	4	0.19			235		
5	4	0.48			237		
6	4	-0.48			232		
8	3	0.77			238		
10	3	0.77			238		
11	3	-0.77	230				
12	2	1.16			240		
13	0	-2.31			222		
15	3	-0.77			230		
16	4	-0.42			232		
18	0	-2.31			222		
19	3	-0.58			231		
23	0	-4.24			212		
24	4	-0.08			234		
25	0	2.31			246		
26	4	0.19			235		
29	4	-0.19			233		
32	0	4.05			255		
33	4	0.37			236		
36	4	-0.19			233		
37	3	-0.58			231		
38	0	-33.91			58		
39	4	-0.19			233		
40	3	0.77			238		
42	4	-0.08			234		
43	3	0.58			237		
45	3	0.58			237		
46	4	0.39			236		
48	4	-0.19			233		
50	4	-0.19			233		
51	4	0.39			236		
52	4	0.39			236		
54	4	-0.39			232		
55	3	-0.77			230		
56	2	1.18			240		
57	4	0.00			234		
61	1	1.93			244		
63	0	-5.40			206		
68	3	0.58			237		
69	4	0.12			235		
70	3	-0.77			230		
74	4	0.39			236		
75	3	-0.58			231		
76	3	0.77			238		
78	0	-3.66			215		
79	3	-0.77			230		
81	3	-0.58			231		
83	4	0.48			237		
84	3	0.87			239		

MPV = 234 +/- 1
 F-pseudosigma = 5
 N = 96
 Hu = 237
 Hl = 230

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	20	21	22
85	3	0.89			239		
87	3	-0.77			230		
89	4	0.19			235		
90	0	2.33			246		
91	3	-0.96			229		
92	0	-8.54			190		
94	4	0.39			236		
96	2	1.16			240		
97	2	-1.43	227				
100	4	0.00			234		
104	3	-0.77			230		
105	4	0.50			237		
107	2	-1.16			228		
109	4	0.29			236		
111	2	1.35			241		
113	2	-1.16			228		
114	4	0.00			234		
116	0	-3.08			218		
118	3	-0.58			231		
119	2	1.16			240		
120	3	-0.58			231		
122	0	-23.41			113		
127	4	0.39			236		
128	3	-0.96			229		
129	3	0.58			237		
133	0	73.23			614		
134	3	0.96			239		
136	0	3.47			252		
138	0	-2.31			222		
139	0	-40.64			23		
141	4	0.29			236		
145	1	-1.54			226		
146	3	0.58			237		
151	2	1.16			240		
153	3	-0.77			230		
155	4	-0.48			232		
158	0	-2.22			223		
161	0	3.08			250		
167	4	0.00			234		
180	4	0.39			236		
182	0	3.08	250				
183	0	-2.31			222		
197	3	-0.66			231		
201	0	4.63			258		
202	4	0.00			234		
204	3	-0.96			229		

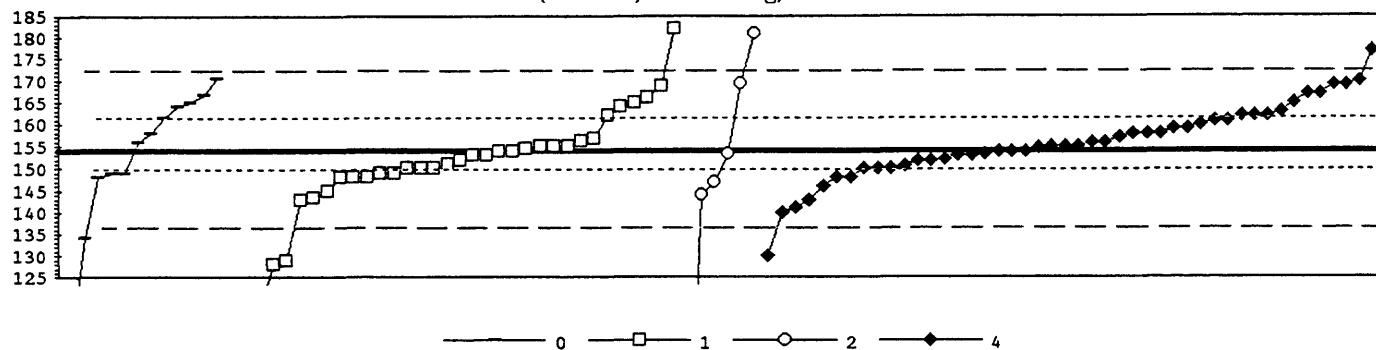
Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued
 B (Boron) $\mu\text{g/L}$



0. Other			6. ICP/MS					
4. ICP			22a. Color: azomethine					
5. DCP			22c. Color: curcumin					
	N =		2	31	1	2	4	4
	Minimum =		300	0	295	262	287	325
	Maximum =		2150	347		299	390	5640
	Median =			284				
	St Dev =			29				
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	5	6	22a	22c
1	4	0.03			295			
3	3	-0.71			270			
5	4	-0.50			277			
10	3	0.92				325		
11	4	0.18	300	0				
15	2	-1.04		259				
16	1	1.57		347				
18	2	-1.19	254					
24	4	-0.33		283				
25	4	-0.18	288					
29	0	55.03	2150					
32	4	0.15			299			
37	3	-0.95			262			
39	4	0.09	297					
40	4	-0.47	278					
45	4	-0.21			287			
46	0	-5.34	114					
48	4	0.47	310					
50	2	1.01			328			
52	4	-0.50	277					
55	2	-1.01	260					
57	4	0.47	310					
58	0	2.73			386			
61	4	-0.50	277					
63	0	< 100						
70	3	-0.77	268					
74	3	0.56	313					
100	2	1.33	339					
103	0	-2.19	220					
119	4	0.18	300					
121	3	0.77	320					
122	4	-0.12			290			
127	4	-0.18	288					
128	2	-1.45	245					
129	0	2.85		390				
131	4	0.18	300					
134	4	-0.30	284					
141	2	1.27	337					
145	3	0.97	327					
146	4	-0.42	280					
161	0	158.50			5640			
167	4	-0.30	284					
180	4	0.00	294					
182	0	3.14			400			

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued

Ca (Calcium) m g/L



0. Other					4. ICP			
1.	AA: direct air	2.	AA: direct N2O	N =	12	39	6	46
				Minimum =	112	5	80	130
				Maximum =	170	182	181	177
				Median =	160	153		156
				St Dev =	8	7		3

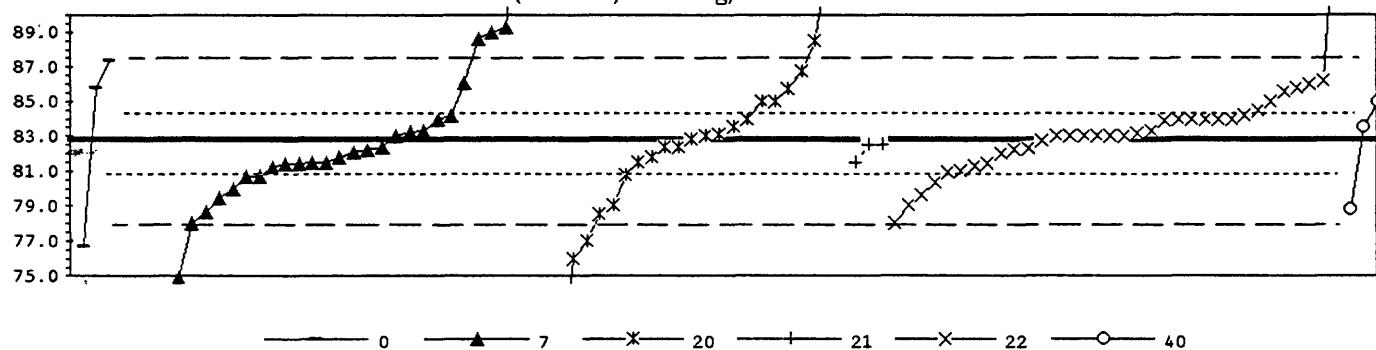
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4
1	4	0.11		155		
3	4	0.45			158	
5	3	0.56				159
8	0	2.59			177	
9	3	-0.67		148		
10	4	0.30	157			
11	3	-0.56	149			
12	3	0.79		161		
13	3	-0.56		149		
15	1	1.69		169		
16	2	-1.24		143		
18	4	0.00		154		
19	4	-0.19		152		
23	3	-0.67	148			
24	4	0.11		155		
25	3	0.90		162		
26	2	1.12	164			
29	4	0.45	158			
30	2	1.35		166		
32	2	1.24	165			
33	3	0.82	161			
36	0	-2.25	134			
37	0	-2.81		129		
38	4	-0.08		153		
40	3	0.79		161		
42	1	1.80		170		
43	4	-0.45		150		
45	4	0.00	154			
46	4	-0.22		152		
48	0	-2.70		130		
50	4	-0.11	153			
51	3	-0.90		146		
52	4	0.00		154		
54	4	0.11	155			
55	3	-0.67		148		
56	2	-1.26	143			
57	2	1.46		167		
58	0	-2.92	128			
59	2	1.24		165		
61	2	-1.46		141		
63	4	0.22		156		
64	3	0.69		160		
68	1	-1.57		140		
69	2	-1.19	143			
70	4	0.34		157		
74	4	0.11		155		
75	4	0.00	154			
78	4	-0.11	153			
81	1	1.69		169		
83	3	0.90		162		

MPV = 154 +/- 1
F-pseudosigma = 9
N = 98
Hu = 161
Hl = 149

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4
84	2	-1.01	145			
85	4	-0.34	151			
87	3	-0.79		147		
89	4	-0.45		150		
90	2	1.42	167			
92	0	-6.63	95			
94	4	0.09		155		
97	4	-0.45		150		162
100	3	0.90			162	
101	4	0.06	155			
103	3	-0.67		148		
105	4	0.45		158		
109	4	-0.45		150		
111	0	3.04			181	
113	4	-0.22	152			
114	0	-8.32	80			
116	3	0.90		162		
119	4	-0.11		153		
120	1	1.65		169		
121	4	0.45		158		
122	0	-8.79	76			
123	4	0.25		156		
127	4	0.22			156	
128	4	-0.11			153	
129	2	1.12	164			
131	4	-0.45		150		
133	4	-0.37		151		
134	4	0.11			155	
136	2	-1.12			144	
138	4	-0.07			153	
139	1	1.71		169		
140	3	-0.56		149		
141	3	0.56			159	
145	4	-0.25			152	
146	4	-0.45			150	
149	3	-0.67	148			
151	4	0.11		155		
153	3	-0.67	148			
155	1	1.84	170			
161	4	0.22	156			
179	0	-4.16	117			
180	2	1.01		163		
182	0	3.15		182		
191	3	-0.56	149			
196	2	1.24		165		
201	0	-4.73	112			
202	4	0.00		154		
204	2	1.46		167		

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued

Cl (Chloride) m g/L

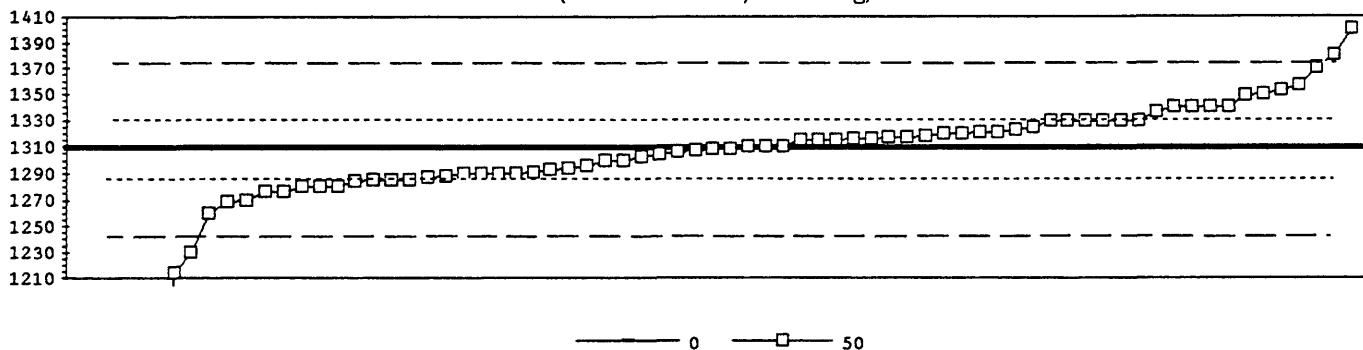


0. Other	21. Titration: electro							
7. IC	22. Color: Fe(SCN)							
20. Titration: color	40. Ion electrode							
N = 3 31 23 3 34 3								
Minimum = 76.7 21.4 65.7 81.5 78.0 78.8								
Maximum = 87.4 101.0 139.0 82.5 97.0 85.0								
Median = 81.5 82.9 83.0								
St Dev = 1.9 2.2 3.1								
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	20	21	22	40
1	4	0.20	83.3					
3	2	1.31		86.0				
5	3	0.57	84.2					
6	1	-1.96		78.0				
8	2	1.35	86.1					
9	2	1.23		85.8				
10	3	-0.53		81.5				
11	2	1.23	85.8					
12	0	5.80			97.0			
13	2	1.39		86.2				
15	0	5.89	97.2					
16	3	0.57		84.2				
18	4	-0.20		82.3				
19	3	-0.53		81.5				
23	1	-1.64			78.8			
24	3	-0.57		81.4				
25	4	-0.41	81.8					
26	0	-4.41	72.0					
29	0	7.44	101.0					
30	0	-8.67	61.6					
32	4	-0.16	82.4					
33	0	2.53	89.0					
36	3	0.69		84.5				
37	4	-0.25	82.2					
40	2	-1.02		80.3				
42	0	-6.87	66.0					
43	3	0.90		85.0				
45	4	-0.04		82.7				
46	3	-0.78		80.9				
48	4	0.08		83.0				
50	1	-1.55		79.0				
51	0	2.37	88.6					
52	3	-0.61		81.3				
55	4	0.49		84.0				
56	4	0.29		83.5				
57	1	-1.55		79.0				
61	4	0.49		84.0				
63	4	0.49		84.0				
64	4	0.08		83.0				
68	4	0.45		83.9				
69	4	0.49		84.0				
70	3	-0.82		80.8				
74	0	-25.10	21.4					
75	4	0.49		84.0				
76	0	-3.23	74.9					
78	0	-2.78		76.0				
79	3	0.90		85.0				
81	0	-6.99		65.7				
83	4	-0.13		82.5				
84	2	-1.29		79.6				

MPV = 82.8 +/- 0.3
F-pseudosigma = 2.4
N = 97
Hu = 84.2
Hl = 80.9

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	20	21	22	40
85	4	0.08					83.0	
87	3	-0.74					81.0	
89	4	0.00				82.8		
92	2	1.19				85.7		
94	4	0.20					83.3	
96	4	0.49			84.0			
97	4	0.16				83.2		
100	3	-0.86		80.7				
101	1	1.59			86.7			
102	4	-0.33				82.0		
105	2	-1.14	80.0					
107	0	4.41			93.6			
109	4	-0.12				82.5		
111	0	-2.49	76.7					
113	3	-0.53		81.5				
114	4	0.29					83.5	
119	4	0.08			83.0			
120	4	-0.16			82.4			
122	1	-1.76			78.5			
127	3	-0.53	81.5					
128	4	0.08				83.0		
129	1	-1.68	78.7					
131	3	-0.57	81.4					
134	3	-0.86	80.7					
136	4	0.08	83.0					
138	4	-0.25				82.2		
139	0	-5.23			70.0			
140	3	0.90				85.0		
141	4	0.08				83.0		
145	4	0.19		83.3				
146	0	22.97			139.0			
151	4	0.49			84.0			
153	0	2.66			89.3			
158	4	0.11				83.1		
161	1	-1.96	78.0					
167	1	1.88	87.4					
179	0	-2.37			77.0			
180	2	1.14				85.6		
182	3	0.90			85.0			
183	4	0.12			83.1			
191	3	-0.65			81.2			
193	3	-0.57			81.4			
196	2	-1.35			79.5			
197	4	-0.29			82.1			
201	4	-0.41			81.8			
202	0	2.33			88.5			
204	4	-0.16			82.4			

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued
 DSRD (Dissolved Solids) m g/L



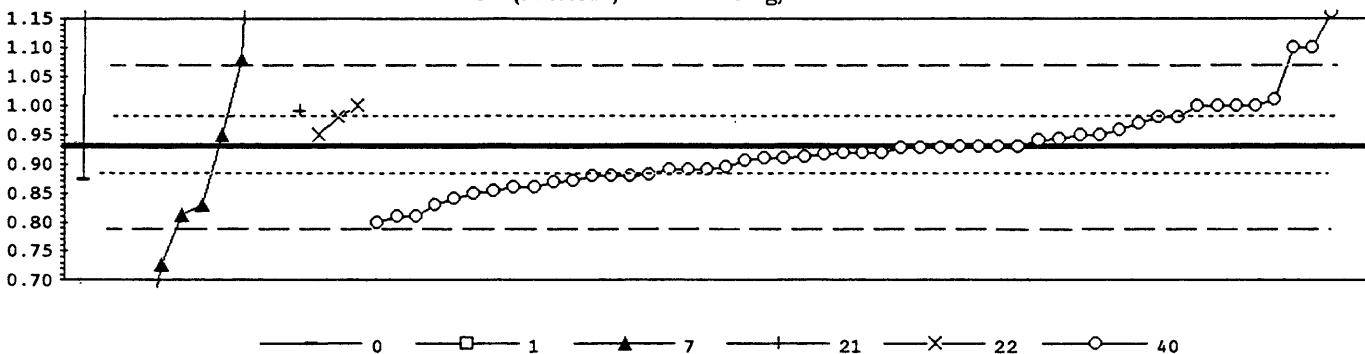
0. Other
50. Gravimetric
N = 1 71
Minimum = 1460 330
Maximum = 1400
Median = 1310
St Dev = 26

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	50
1	4	0.49	1325	
3	3	0.64	1330	
5	0	4.63	1460	
6	3	0.83	1336	
8	2	-1.20	1270	
9	3	0.64	1330	
10	2	1.47	1357	
12	4	0.03	1310	
13	4	0.03	1310	
15	4	-0.28	1300	
16	4	0.43	1323	
18	4	-0.21	1302	
19	4	0.21	1316	
23	0	-30.02	330	
25	2	1.26	1350	
26	3	0.64	1330	
29	4	-0.03	1308	
32	3	-0.74	1285	
36	3	0.64	1330	
40	4	0.25	1317	
43	3	0.95	1340	
45	4	-0.28	1300	
46	0	-6.29	1104	
48	0	-19.65	668	
50	4	0.03	1310	
51	2	-1.23	1269	
52	3	-0.58	1290	
54	3	-0.74	1285	
55	3	-0.89	1280	
57	0	2.79	1400	
61	0	2.18	1380	
69	3	0.95	1340	
70	4	0.37	1321	
74	4	0.18	1315	
75	3	0.64	1330	
76	3	-0.89	1280	
78	0	-20.39	644	
81	3	-0.58	1290	
85	4	-0.06	1307	
87	3	-0.67	1287	
89	3	0.95	1340	
90	2	-1.50	1260	
91	2	-1.01	1276	
92	4	-0.49	1293	
94	4	0.28	1318	
96	4	0.18	1315	
97	4	0.25	1317	
100	4	-0.15	1304	
101	3	-0.77	1284	
105	3	-0.89	1280	

MPV = 1309 +/- 5
 F-pseudosigma = 33
 N = 72
 Hu = 1330
 Hl = 1286

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	50
109	4	0.21	1316	
113	3	-0.58	1290	
118	0	-2.42	1230	
119	4	-0.03	1308	
120	3	-0.74	1285	
122	3	0.64	1330	
127	3	0.95	1340	
129	0	-2.91	1214	
134	4	0.18	1315	
136	2	1.35	1353	
138	2	-1.01	1276	
140	4	0.37	1321	
141	2	1.23	1349	
146	1	1.87	1370	
149	3	-0.58	1290	
151	4	-0.46	1294	
155	3	-0.56	1291	
158	4	-0.09	1306	
167	4	0.34	1320	
182	3	-0.64	1288	
183	4	-0.40	1296	
202	4	0.34	1320	

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued
 F (Fluoride) m g/L



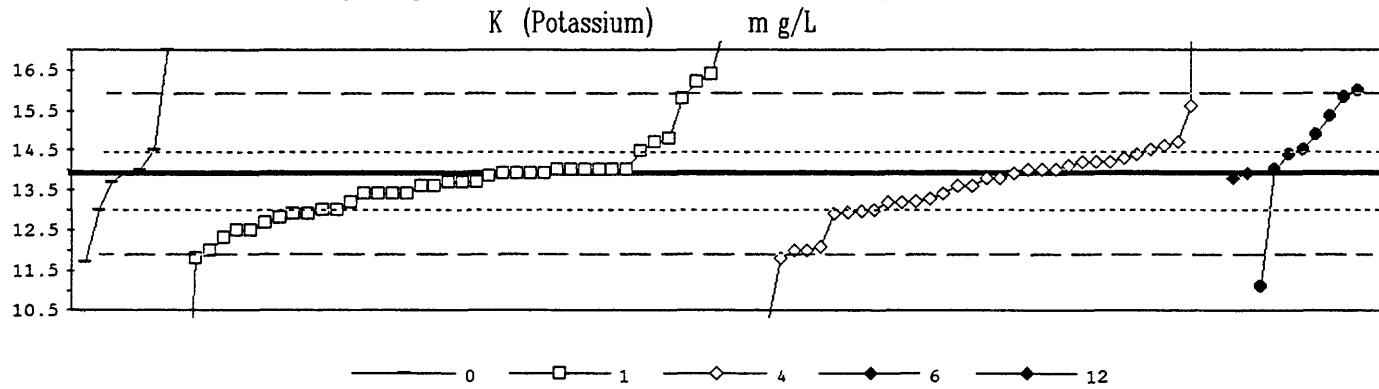
0. Other	21. Titration: electro
1. AA: direct air	22. Colorimetric
7. IC	40. Ion electrode
N =	2 1 8 1 3 51
Minimum =	0.87 13.90 0.53 0.99 0.95 0.80
Maximum =	5.19 2.00 1.00 2.03
Median =	0.92
St Dev =	0.05

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	7	21	22	40
1	1	-1.56		0.81				
3	3	0.98			1.00			
6	3	-0.78				0.87		
8	1	-1.72				0.80		
10	2	-1.18				0.84		
11	3	-0.74	0.87					
12	3	0.98			1.00			
13	3	0.57				0.97		
16	4	-0.15				0.92		
18	3	-0.61				0.88		
19	3	-0.51				0.89		
23	4	0.17				0.94		
24	4	0.03				0.93		
25	4	0.30				0.95		
26	0	14.47		2.00				
29	0	14.87				2.03		
33	0		< 0.01					
36	4	-0.44				0.90		
40	4	-0.20				0.91		
42	2	-1.05				0.85		
45	4	0.21				0.94		
46	4	-0.01				0.93		
50	3	0.98				1.00		
54	4	-0.24				0.91		
55	4	0.30	0.95					
57	3	0.71				0.98		
61	4	0.03				0.93		
63	4	0.30				0.95		
69	4	-0.10				0.92		
70	3	-0.51				0.89		
74	4	-0.30				0.91		
76	2	-1.01				0.85		
78	4	-0.10				0.92		
81	1	-1.59				0.81		
83	3	0.84	0.99					
85	3	0.98				1.00		
89	4	0.01				0.93		
91	4	0.30	0.95					
94	3	-0.91				0.86		
96	3	0.98				1.00		
97	0	57.50	5.19					
100	3	-0.91				0.86		
105	2	-1.32	0.83					
107	2	1.11				1.01		
109	4	-0.24				0.91		
113	4	-0.49				0.89		
119	3	-0.64				0.88		
120	3	0.71	0.98					
121	0	175.00	13.90					
122	4	0.03	0.93					

MPV = 0.93 +/- 0.01
 F-pseudosigma = 0.07
 N = 66
 Hu = 0.98
 Hl = 0.88

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	7	21	22	40
127	4	0.01						0.93
128	3	-0.64						0.88
129	0	-5.32				0.53		
131	0	2.33						1.10
134	1	-1.59						0.81
138	2	-1.32						0.83
140	4	0.41						0.96
141	4	0.03						0.93
145	0	10.56				1.71		
149	4	-0.10						0.92
153	0	2.06				1.08		
161	3	-0.80						0.87
167	3	-0.64						0.88
180	3	0.71						0.98
182	0	3.14						1.16
183	0	2.33						1.10
196	0	-2.70				0.73		

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued



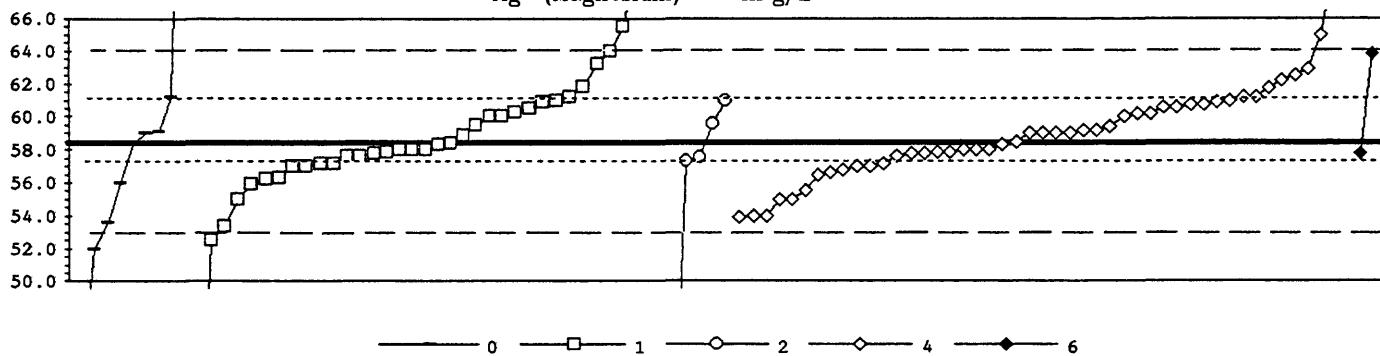
0. Other		6. ICP/MS				
1. AA: direct air		12. AA: flame emission				
4. ICP						
		N =	7	42	34	2
		Minimum =	11.7	5.1	10.0	13.8
		Maximum =	17.0	60.0	75.0	13.9
		Median =	13.8	13.7	13.8	14.7
		St Dev =	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.5
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	6
1	4	0.10	14.0			
3	0	-2.02	11.8			
5	4	0.29		14.2		
8	1	1.64		15.6		
9	2	-1.16	12.7			
10	4	0.10	14.0			
11	3	0.58	14.5			
12	4	0.00		13.9		
13	4	-0.48	13.4			
15	0	2.41	16.4			
16	3	-0.96	12.9			
18	4	0.10		14.0		
19	0	-2.02		11.8		
23	1	-1.54	12.3			
24	4	-0.48	13.4			
25	4	0.48		14.4		
26	3	-0.87	13.0			
29	3	0.96		14.9		
32	4	-0.10		13.8		
33	4	0.04	13.9			
36	0	-2.70		11.1		
37	3	-0.87	13.0			
38	4	-0.19	13.7			
40	4	-0.29		13.6		
42	3	-0.96		12.9		
43	4	0.10	14.0			
45	4	-0.29	13.6			
46	4	0.39		14.3		
48	4	-0.10		13.8		
50	3	-0.87	13.0			
51	4	0.48		14.4		
52	3	-0.58		13.3		
54	4	-0.19	13.7			
55	3	0.58		14.5		
56	3	0.87	14.8			
57	0	3.95	18.0			
58	2	-1.35	12.5			
59	3	0.67		14.6		
61	4	0.29		14.2		
63	2	-1.06	12.8			
64	2	-1.35	12.5			
68	1	-1.83		12.0		
69	4	0.10		14.0		
70	4	0.10		14.0		
74	4	0.29	14.2			
75	4	-0.48	13.4			
78	4	0.10	14.0			
81	3	0.77		14.7		
83	3	0.77	14.7			
85	4	0.00	13.9			

MPV = 13.9 +/- 0.1
F-pseudosigma = 1.0
N = 93
Hu = 14.4
Hl = 13.0

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	6	12
87	4	-0.29	13.6				
89	3	-0.67	13.2				
92	1	-1.83	12.0				
94	3	-0.93		12.9			
97	3	-0.96	12.9				
100	4	-0.29		13.6			
101	4	0.00	13.9				
103	1	-1.83	12.0				
105	1	-1.73	12.1				
109	4	-0.05	13.9				
111	0	2.22	16.2				
113	4	0.00	13.9				
114	0	44.42	60.0				
119	3	-0.87		13.0			
120	3	0.57	14.5				
121	0	43.46	59.0				
122	0	-2.09	11.7				
123	4	-0.48	13.4				
127	4	-0.19	13.7				
128	3	-0.90		13.0			
129	4	0.10	14.0				
131	0	-3.76		10.0			
133	0	2.99	17.0				
134	4	0.10	14.0				
136	1	1.83	15.8				
138	3	-0.66		13.2			
139	2	1.40		15.4			
140	4	-0.19	13.7				
141	4	-0.10		13.8			
145	3	-0.67	13.2				
146	0	58.87	75.0				
149	4	0.00	13.9				
151	4	-0.48	13.4				
153	4	0.10	14.0				
167	3	-0.67	13.2				
179	4	0.10	14.0				
180	4	0.19		14.1			
182	0	-8.48	5.1				
191	4	0.00		13.9			
196	0	3.66	17.7				
201	1	1.85		15.8			
202	3	0.58		14.5			
204	0	2.02	16.0				

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued

Mg (Magnesium) m g/L



0. Other	4. ICP
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS
2. AA: direct N2O	
N =	9 36 5 47 2
Minimum =	44.3 33.7 40.0 53.9 57.8
Maximum =	89.4 73.4 61.0 167.0 63.8
Median =	58.0 58.8
St Dev =	2.2 2.3

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	6
1	2	-1.04		55.6			
3	3	0.84		60.7			
5	4	0.29		59.2			
8	3	0.84		60.7			
9	3	0.91	60.9				
10	4	0.18	58.9				
11	4	0.26	59.1				
12	3	0.66		60.2			
13	1	1.75	63.2				
15	3	0.80		60.6			
16	2	-1.24		55.0			
18	4	-0.15		58.0			
19	2	1.02		61.2			
23	0	5.47	73.4				
24	4	-0.18		57.9			
25	4	0.36		59.4			
26	0	-2.33	52.0				
29	3	-0.88	56.0				
30	3	0.69	60.3				
32	1	1.97		63.8			
33	2	1.02	61.2				
36	1	-1.75	53.6				
37	4	-0.29	57.6				
38	4	0.42		59.6			
39	3	-0.51		57.0			
40	3	0.91		60.9			
42	2	1.39		62.2			
43	3	-0.69		56.5			
45	3	0.77	60.5				
46	3	-0.66		56.6			
48	4	0.22		59.0			
50	0	2.04	64.0				
51	3	0.95	61.0				
52	4	-0.22		57.8			
54	3	-0.51	57.0				
55	2	1.02		61.2			
56	1	-1.83	53.4				
57	4	-0.15		58.0			
58	2	1.24	61.8				
59	0	2.41		65.0			
61	1	-1.60		54.0			
63	4	-0.40	57.3				
64	2	1.49		62.5			
68	1	-1.60		54.0			
69	3	-0.80	56.2				
70	3	0.95		61.0			
74	2	-1.24		55.0			
75	4	-0.22	57.8				
78	4	-0.44	57.2				
81	2	1.20		61.7			

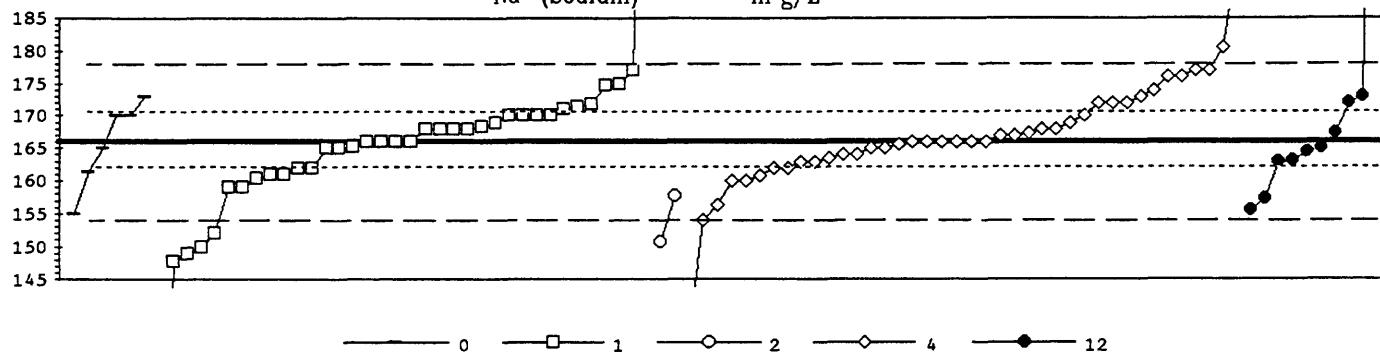
MPV = 58.4 +/- 0.4
F-pseudosigma = 2.7
N = 99
Hu = 60.8
Hl = 57.1

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	6
83	3	0.58	60.0				
84	3	-0.91	55.9				
85	4	-0.04	58.3				
87	4	-0.29	57.6				
89	4	-0.18	57.9				
92	2	-1.24	55.0				
94	4	0.28		59.2			
97	2	1.02	61.2				
100	1	1.64		62.9			
101	4	-0.15	58.0				
103	3	0.58		60.0			
105	1	-1.64		53.9			
109	3	-0.77	56.3				
111	3	0.95		61.0			
113	4	0.00	58.4				
114	0	-6.71		40.0			
116	4	0.22		59.0			
119	3	-0.51		57.0			
120	4	0.40	59.5				
121	0	39.59		167.0			
122	0	-2.14	52.5				
123	0	4.41	70.5				
127	4	-0.22		57.8			
128	3	-0.58		56.8			
129	3	-0.51	57.0				
131	3	0.80		60.6			
133	4	-0.18		57.9			
134	4	0.22		59.0			
136	3	0.58	60.0				
138	4	-0.03		58.3			
139	4	-0.30		57.6			
140	4	-0.15	58.0				
141	4	0.22		59.0			
145	4	-0.44		57.2			
146	4	-0.15		58.0			
149	0	-9.01	33.7				
151	4	-0.44	57.2				
153	4	0.22	59.0				
155	0	-5.14	44.3				
161	4	-0.04	58.3				
167	4	-0.29		57.6			
179	0	3.86	69.0				
180	3	0.66		60.2			
182	4	-0.15	58.0				
191	4	-0.22		57.8			
196	0	2.59	65.5				
201	0	11.29	89.4				
202	4	0.04		58.5			
204	0	3.86	69.0				

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued

Na (Sodium)

m g/L



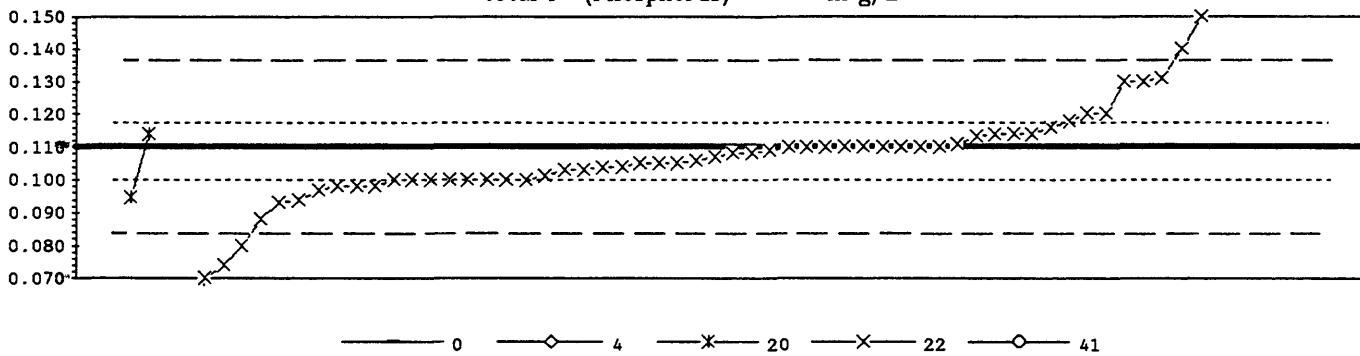
0. Other	4. ICP
1. AA: direct air	12. AA: flame emission
2. AA: direct N ₂ O	
	N = 6 36 2 40 10
	Minimum = 155 82 151 136 156
	Maximum = 173 248 158 194 278
	Median = 168 166 165
	St Dev = 5 5 6

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	12
1	3	-0.89			161		
3	2	1.18			173		
5	4	0.00			166		
8	1	1.69			176		
9	3	0.84	171				
10	4	-0.12	165				
11	4	-0.17	165				
12	4	0.34		168			
13	3	0.67	170				
15	0	4.72		194			
16	3	-0.67		162			
18	3	0.51		169			
19	1	-1.64		156			
23	4	0.34	168				
24	4	0.00		166			
25	2	1.01	172				
26	2	1.18	173				
29	2	1.01		172			
32	3	0.67	170				
33	3	-0.79	161				
36	2	1.18		173			
37	3	-0.67	162				
38	2	-1.42		158			
39	2	1.35		174			
40	4	0.17		167			
42	4	0.24		167			
43	3	0.67		170			
45	3	0.51	169				
48	0	-5.06		136			
50	4	0.34	168				
51	4	-0.17		165			
52	4	0.00		166			
54	4	-0.17	165				
55	4	-0.25		165			
56	0	-3.07	148				
57	2	1.01		172			
58	0	13.83	248				
59	1	1.85		177			
61	3	-0.51		163			
63	0	-2.58	151				
64	2	1.47	175				
68	2	-1.01		160			
69	2	-1.48		157			
70	4	-0.34		164			
74	1	1.85		177			
75	3	0.67	170				
78	0	-2.87	149				
81	2	1.01		172			
83	1	1.85	177				
84	4	0.24		167			

MPV = 166 +/- 1
F-pseudosigma = 6
N = 94
Hu = 170
Hl = 162

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2	4	12
85	3	-0.67	162				
87	4	0.00	166				
89	3	-0.84	161				
92	0	-2.36	152				
94	4	0.02		166			
97	4	0.34	168				
100	1	1.69		176			
101	4	0.00	166				
103	3	-0.51		163			
105	0	2.45	181				
109	3	-0.96	160				
111	3	0.67	170				
113	4	0.00	166				
114	0	-14.16	82				
116	3	-0.67		162			
119	4	0.34	168				
120	3	0.98	172				
122	3	0.93	172				
123	4	0.40	168				
127	4	-0.17		165			
128	4	-0.34		164			
129	2	-1.18	159				
131	4	0.17		167			
133	4	-0.44		163			
134	4	0.34	168				
136	3	0.67	170				
138	4	-0.07		166			
139	1	-1.75		156			
140	4	-0.17	165				
141	4	-0.17		165			
145	4	0.00	166				
146	2	-1.01		160			
149	1	1.52	175				
151	3	-0.84	161				
153	3	0.67	170				
167	4	0.00		166			
179	4	0.00	166				
180	0	-2.02		154			
182	0	-2.70	150				
183	0	18.89		278			
191	1	-1.85	155				
196	2	-1.18	159				
201	4	-0.49		163			
204	3	-0.51		163			

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued
total P (Phosphorus) m g/L



0. Other	22. Color: phosphomolybdate
4. ICP	41. Electrometric
20. Titration: color	
N =	1 1 2 63 1
Minimum =	0.110 0.268 0.095 0.010 0.325
Maximum =	0.114 2.128
Median =	0.108
St Dev =	0.258

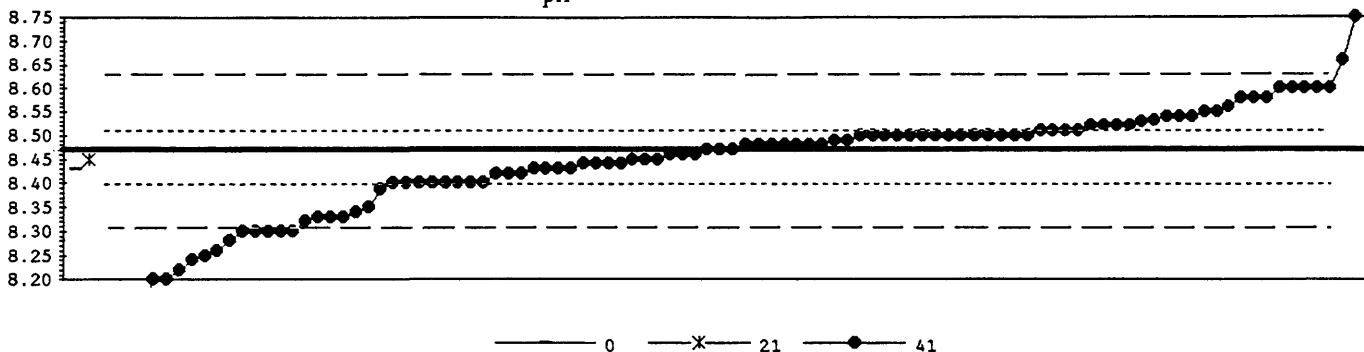
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	20	22	41
1	4	-0.20			0.107		
3	2	-1.23			0.094		
6	0				< 0.050		
8	0	6.39			0.190		
11	4	0.04	0.110				
12	0	3.21			0.150		
13	3	-0.75			0.100		
15	4	0.12			0.111		
16	2	-1.19		0.095			
18	4	-0.28			0.106		
19	4	0.04			0.110		
23	3	-0.75			0.100		
25	0	12.58	0.268				
36	4	-0.04			0.109		
38	4	0.28			0.113		
45	4	-0.44			0.104		
46	3	-0.52			0.103		
48	4	0.04			0.110		
55	4	0.04			0.110		
57	0	15.12			0.300		
58	4	-0.12			0.108		
61	3	-0.52			0.103		
63	4	-0.36			0.105		
64	3	0.83			0.120		
68	4	0.36			0.114		
74	4	0.36	0.114				
75	3	-0.99			0.097		
78	1	1.71			0.131		
81	0	19.72			0.358		
83	3	-0.75			0.100		
85	4	-0.36			0.105		
87	0	-2.34			0.080		
89	4	-0.36			0.105		
91	0	8.77			0.220		
92	4	-0.44			0.104		
94	0	-2.82			0.074		
97	0	4.80			0.170		
100	4	0.04			0.110		
102	0	-7.18			0.019		
103	NR		< 0.1				
104	4	0.36			0.114		
105	3	0.67			0.118		
107	3	-0.91			0.098		
108	4	0.04			0.110		
111	3	-0.91			0.098		
113	3	-0.67			0.101		
114	4	0.04			0.110		
118	0	-3.13			0.070		
119	4	0.04			0.110		
120	3	-0.75			0.100		

MPV = 0.110 +/- 0.002
F-pseudosigma = 0.013
N = 68
Hu = 0.117
Hl = 0.100

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	20	22	41
123	0	7.18			0.200		
127	3	-0.75			0.100		
128	3	-0.75			0.100		
129	0	160.17				2.128	
131	NR				< 0.1		
133	1	1.63				0.130	
134	3	-0.75			0.100		
138	4	0.04			0.110		
139	2	-1.31			0.093		
140	0	2.42			0.140		
141	3	0.83			0.120		
144	1	1.63			0.130		
145	0				< 0.02		
153	0	17.10				0.325	
155	3	-0.90			0.098		
161	3	0.52			0.116		
167	4	-0.12			0.108		
180	4	0.36			0.114		
182	3	-0.75			0.100		
183	4	0.04			0.110		
202	0	-7.90			0.010		
204	1	-1.71			0.088		

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued

pH



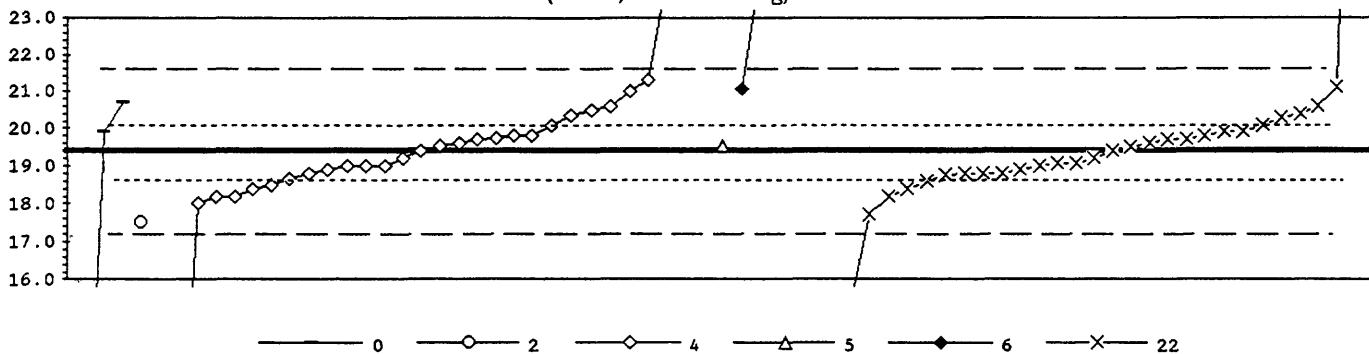
0. Other
21. Titration: Electro
41. Electrometric
N = 1 1 100
Minimum = 8.43 8.45 7.79
Maximum = 8.75
Median = 8.48
St Dev = 0.07

MPV = 8.47 +/- 0.01
 F-pseudosigma = 0.08
 N = 102
 Hu = 8.51
 Hl = 8.40

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	21	41
1	2	-1.01	8.39		
2	3	0.76	8.53		
3	4	-0.49	8.43		
5	1	-1.59	8.34		
6	4	0.37	8.50		
8	1	-1.72	8.33		
10	4	0.37	8.50		
11	4	-0.49	8.43		
12	4	0.37	8.50		
13	3	0.86	8.54		
15	0	-2.33	8.28		
16	2	-1.47	8.35		
18	4	0.49	8.51		
19	3	0.98	8.55		
23	3	0.86	8.54		
24	4	-0.25	8.45		
25	4	-0.25	8.45		
26	4	0.37	8.50		
29	4	0.25	8.49		
30	3	-0.86	8.40		
32	1	-1.84	8.32		
33	3	-0.61	8.42		
36	2	1.10	8.56		
37	4	0.12	8.48		
38	1	1.59	8.60		
39	4	0.37	8.50		
40	4	-0.25	8.45		
41	0	2.33	8.66		
42	3	0.86	8.54		
43	1	-1.72	8.33		
45	4	0.49	8.51		
46	3	-0.86	8.40		
48	4	0.37	8.50		
50	0	-2.08	8.30		
51	3	0.61	8.52		
52	4	-0.12	8.46		
54	4	0.37	8.50		
55	3	0.61	8.52		
56	4	0.00	8.47		
57	0	-4.54	8.10		
58	4	-0.49	8.43		
61	3	-0.61	8.42		
63	3	-0.86	8.40		
64	4	0.12	8.48		
68	0	-3.31	8.20		
69	4	0.25	8.49		
70	4	-0.12	8.46		
74	4	0.37	8.50		
75	0	-2.08	8.30		
76	3	-0.61	8.42		
78	4	-0.49	8.43		

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	21	41
81	0	-3.31	8.20		
84	4	0.12	8.48		
85	4	0.49	8.51		
87	3	0.61	8.52		
89	4	0.12	8.48		
90	0	3.43	8.75		
91	4	-0.37	8.44		
92	4	-0.37	8.44		
94	4	0.12	8.48		
96	1	1.59	8.60		
97	3	0.61	8.52		
100	2	1.35	8.58		
101	0	-8.34	7.79		
105	4	-0.49	8.43		
107	4	0.12	8.48		
109	0	-2.70	8.25		
113	4	-0.37	8.44		
114	3	-0.86	8.40		
118	0	-4.54	8.10		
119	0	-2.58	8.26		
120	3	-0.86	8.40		
122	4	0.12	8.48		
123	3	-0.86	8.40		
127	1	-1.72	8.33		
128	1	1.59	8.60		
129	4	-0.37	8.44		
131	4	0.37	8.50		
133	3	-0.86	8.40		
134	4	0.37	8.50		
136	4	0.37	8.50		
138	4	0.37	8.50		
139	4	-0.12	8.46		
140	4	0.00	8.47		
141	0	-2.08	8.30		
144	3	0.98	8.55		
145	0	-2.08	8.30		
146	1	1.59	8.60		
151	4	-0.25	8.45		
153	0	-4.17	8.13		
155	0	-3.07	8.22		
158	4	0.00	8.47		
161	2	1.35	8.58		
167	0	-2.08	8.30		
179	3	-0.86	8.40		
180	4	0.37	8.50		
182	4	0.37	8.50		
183	1	1.59	8.60		
197	2	1.35	8.58		
201	4	0.49	8.51		
202	3	0.74	8.53		
204	0	-2.82	8.24		

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-124 (major constituent)--Continued
 SiO₂ (Silica) m g/L

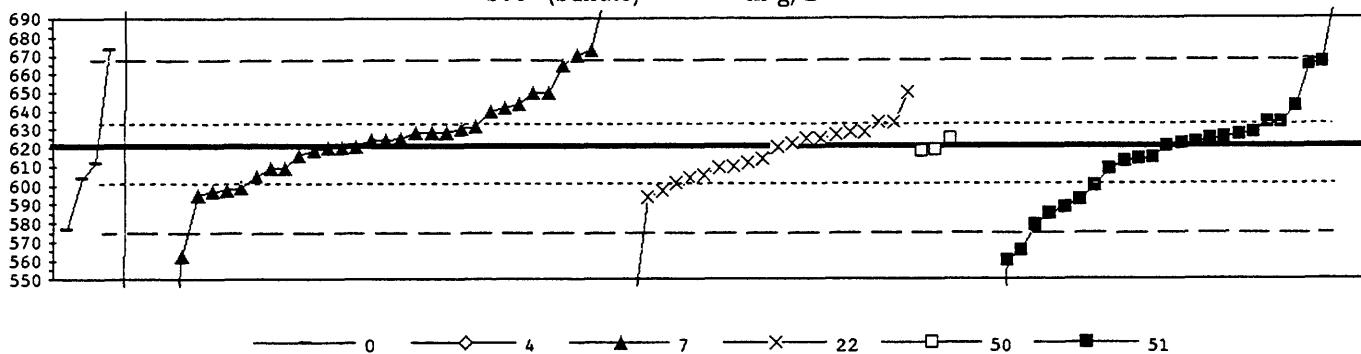


0. Other		5. DCP		22. Color: molybdate	
2. AA: direct N2O		6. ICP/MS			
4. ICP					
	N =	3	1	30	1 2 32
	Minimum =	9.7	17.5	9.2	19.5 21.1 0.7
	Maximum =	20.7		37.1	24.4 37.2
	Median =			19.4	19.3
	St Dev =			0.9	0.8
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	2	4 5 6 22
1	3	-0.67		18.7	
2	0	-8.22			10.3
3	4	0.27		19.7	
5	4	0.36		19.8	
8	1	1.71		21.3	
9	4	0.27			19.7
10	2	1.17	20.7		
11	0	-8.72	9.7		
13	4	0.45			19.9
15	3	-0.90		18.4	
18	3	0.81			20.3
23	4	0.00			19.4
24	3	0.99		20.5	
25	0	4.32		24.2	
32	0	4.50			24.4
33	4	0.12		19.5	
36	0	16.01			37.2
38	4	-0.31			19.1
39	2	-1.08		18.2	
40	4	0.31		19.7	
42	3	0.63		20.1	
43	4	0.00		19.4	
45	3	-0.81		18.5	
50	4	-0.36			19.0
51	4	0.45			19.9
52	0	-3.51			15.5
55	3	0.86		20.4	
57	2	1.44		21.0	
58	0	-16.82			0.7
59	3	-0.54			18.8
61	0	-9.17		9.2	
63	2	-1.08		18.2	
64	0	6.30		26.4	
68	2	-1.08			18.2
70	3	-0.72			18.6
74	2	1.08			20.6
75	4	0.18			19.6
78	1	-1.71	17.5		
83	4	0.27			19.7
85	4	-0.18			19.2
87	1	1.53			21.1
89	4	0.36			19.8
92	4	-0.45			18.9
97	1	-1.53			17.7
100	4	0.36		19.8	
101	4	0.13		19.6	
102	3	-0.54			18.8
103	2	-1.26		18.0	
104	3	-0.58			18.8
105	4	-0.45		18.9	

MPV = 19.4 +/- 0.2
 F-pseudosigma = 1.1
 N = 69
 Hu = 20.1
 Hl = 18.6

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	2	4	5	6	22
111	4	0.09						19.5
113	3	-0.54						18.8
118	0	-13.89						4.0
119	4	-0.36					19.0	
121	4	-0.18					19.2	
127	4	-0.36					19.0	
128	3	-0.54					18.8	
131	4	0.18					19.6	
134	4	-0.37					19.0	
138	3	0.90						20.4
141	3	0.63						20.1
145	0	15.88					37.1	
146	0	-8.99					9.4	
151	4	0.45	19.9					
155	4	-0.31						19.1
161	0	-9.74						8.6
167	3	-0.90						18.4
191	1	1.51						21.1
204	2	1.08					20.6	

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued
 SO₄ (Sulfate) m g/L



0. Other	22. Color: methyl thymol blue
4. ICP	50. Gravimetric
7. IC	51. Turbidimetric
	N = 5 2 33 19 3 28
	Minimum = 577 524 483 534 618 390
	Maximum = 674 1460 709 650 625 1559
	Median = 624 620 622
	St Dev = 18 15 23

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	7	22	50	51
1	4	-0.08			619			
3	4	0.01			621			
5	2	1.01			644			
6	2	-1.23				593		
8	1	1.93			665			
9	3	0.58			634			
10	3	-0.53				609		
11	4	-0.38	612					
12	0	-3.77			534			
13	2	-1.03			597			
15	3	-0.99			598			
16	4	0.07				622		
18	3	-0.73			604			
19	4	0.32			628			
23	0	3.54				702		
24	4	-0.38			612			
25	0	3.84			709			
26	3	0.93			642			
29	0	3.67			705			
30	3	-0.94			599			
32	3	0.84			640			
33	3	-0.51			609			
36	3	0.58				634		
37	4	0.19			625			
40	4	0.14			624			
42	0	-5.82			487			
43	4	-0.12				618		
45	4	0.10				623		
46	4	-0.29			614			
48	4	-0.29				614		
50	4	0.19			625			
51	4	0.14		624				
52	1	1.97				666		
54	3	0.58			634			
55	2	1.28			650			
56	4	0.20				625		
57	3	-0.90				600		
61	4	-0.25				615		
63	4	0.19			625			
64	4	0.40		630				
69	3	0.58			634			
70	0	-2.42				565		
74	2	-1.03			597			
76	2	-1.12			595			
78	0	-10.04				390		
83	4	0.01			621			
84	0	-2.64				560		
85	4	0.49		632				
87	1	-1.81				579		
89	4	0.32				628		

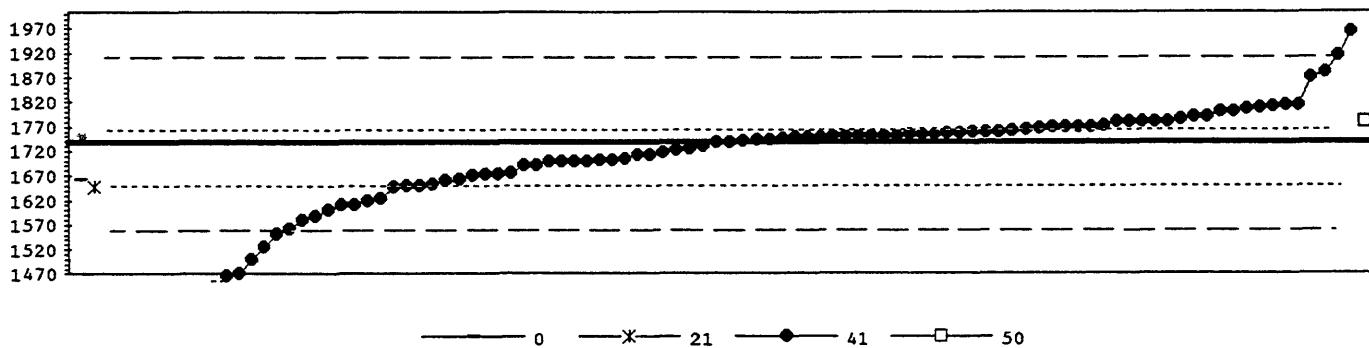
MPV = 621 +/- 3
 F-pseudosigma = 23
 N = 90
 Hu = 632
 Hl = 601

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	7	22	50	51
92	3	0.94						642
94	3	-0.51					609	
96	2	-1.42						588
97	0	2.32	674					
100	4	-0.20			616			
102	4	0.27				627		
103	0	36.52	1460					
105	4	0.19				625		
109	4	-0.07					619	
111	3	-0.73	604					
113	4	0.32			628			
114	0	-8.39						428
119	4	0.32	628					
120	4	-0.47				610		
122	1	-1.90	577					
127	4	0.32			628			
128	4	0.06				622		
129	2	1.28			650			
131	4	-0.03			620			
134	4	-0.02			620			
136	2	1.28			650			
138	4	-0.34				613		
139	0	40.82				1559		
140	1	1.93				665		
141	4	0.19				625		
145	0	2.17			671			
151	0	-4.21		524				
153	0	-5.99			483			
158	3	-0.86				601		
161	0	-2.53			563			
167	4	-0.01			620			
180	2	-1.16				594		
182	0	-7.43					450	
183	1	-1.55					585	
191	3	-0.51			609			
193	4	0.32			628			
196	0	2.28			673			
197	3	-0.69				605		
201	4	0.27						627
204	3	-0.68				605		

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued

Sp Cond (Specific Conductance)

μ S/cm



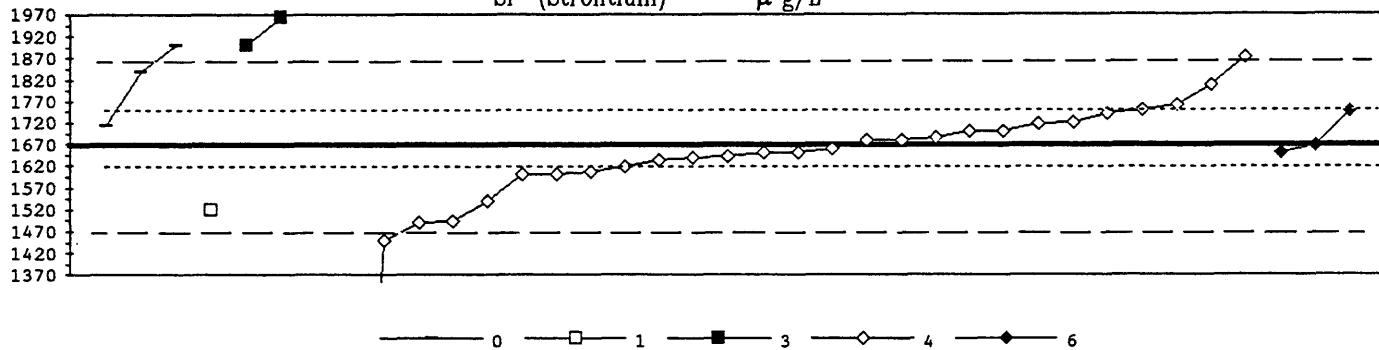
0. Other	41. Electrometric
4. ICP	50. Gravimetric
21. Titration: electro	
N =	1 0 1 97 1
Minimum =	1664 1646 82 1780
Maximum =	1964
Median =	1739
St Dev =	222

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	21	41	50
1	4	0.17			1753		
3	3	-0.78			1670		
5	0	-4.54			1340		
6	4	-0.01			1737		
8	4	-0.43			1700		
9	3	0.72			1801		
10	4	0.23			1758		
11	3	-0.84	1664				
12	4	0.02			1740		
13	4	-0.43			1700		
15	3	0.71			1800		
16	4	0.32			1766		
18	2	-1.31			1623		
19	3	0.55			1786		
23	3	-0.98			1652		
24	4	0.48			1780		
25	4	0.37			1770		
26	4	0.31			1765		
29	4	0.37			1770		
32	4	0.48			1780		
33	4	-0.30			1712		
36	0	-18.90			82		
37	4	-0.42			1701		
38	4	-0.24			1717		
39	4	0.14			1750		
40	4	-0.31			1711		
42	3	-0.73			1674		
43	4	0.37			1770		
45	4	0.14			1750		
46	4	0.14			1750		
48	3	0.76			1805		
50	4	0.37			1770		
51	4	0.05			1742		
52	3	-1.00			1650		
54	3	-0.74			1673		
55	1	1.62			1880		
56	2	-1.04			1647		
57	3	0.82			1810		
58	0	-3.12			1465		
61	4	-0.39			1704		
63	4	-0.43			1700		
68	4	0.38			1771		
69	4	0.25			1760		
70	3	-0.84			1664		
74	0	2.02			1915		
75	4	0.14			1750		
76	3	0.79			1807		
78	4	0.26			1761		
79	0	-3.06			1470		
81	4	0.14			1750		
84	4	0.18			1754		

MPV = 1738 +/- 12
 F-pseudosigma = 88
 N = 100
 Hu = 1768
 Hl = 1650

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	21	41	50
85	0	-2.72			1500		
87	4	0.48			1780		
89	3	-0.55			1690		
90	0	-3.37			1443		
91	4	0.01			1739		
92	4	0.16			1752		
94	4	0.11			1748		
96	3	-0.89			1660		
97	4	0.21			1756		
100	4	0.18			1754		
101	4	-0.41			1702		
102	3	-1.00			1650		
103	0				< 5		
104	3	0.59			1790		
105	2	-1.05			1646		
107	0	-3.90			1396		
109	4	0.10			1747		
111	4	-0.09			1730		
113	4	-0.15			1725		
114	4	0.22			1757		
118	0	-6.14			1200		
119	4	0.06			1743		
122	1	-1.80			1580		
127	4	-0.43			1700		
128	3	-0.55			1690		
129	3	0.86			1813		
131	4	0.11			1748		
134	4	0.48			1780		
136	0	-8.08			1030		
139	0	2.58			1964		
140	4	0.48			1780		
141	4	0.24			1759		
144	0	-6.14			1200		
145	0	-2.43			1525		
146	1	1.51			1870		
151	4	0.47			1779		
153	2	-1.35			1620		
155	3	0.87			1814		
158	3	0.59			1790		
161	2	-1.46			1610		
167	4	-0.18			1722		
179	2	-1.46			1610		
180	3	-0.72			1675		
182	1	-1.58			1600		
183	0	-5.00			1300		
193	0	-2.12			1552		
197	1	-1.70			1589		
201	0	-4.09			1380		
202	4	0.13			1749		
204	0	-2.02			1561		

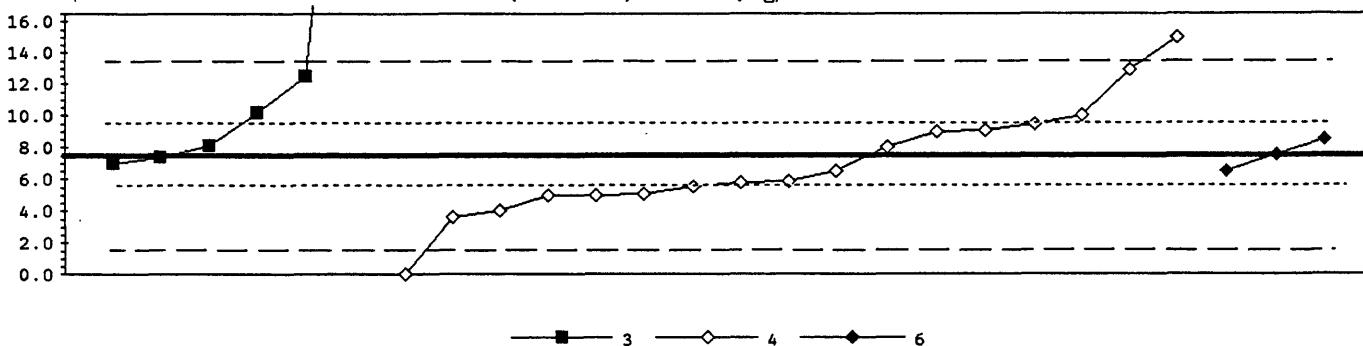
Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued
 Sr (Strontium) $\mu\text{g/L}$



0. Other		4. ICP	
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS		
3. AA: graphite furnace			
N =	3	1	2
Minimum =	1715	1520	1900
Maximum =	1900	1963	1870
Median =			1660
St Dev =			88
Lab	Rating	Z-value	
1	4	0.15	1684
3	4	-0.19	1650
8	3	0.80	1748
9	1	-1.51	1520
15	1	-1.81	1490
16	1	-1.79	1492
18	4	-0.26	1643
24	4	-0.19	1650
25	3	0.92	1760
32	3	0.77	1745
33	4	0.47	1715
37	4	-0.18	1651
39	0	2.03	1870
40	3	-0.51	1619
42	2	1.40	1807
52	3	-0.70	1600
55	3	-0.70	1600
59	4	0.31	1700
68	0	-2.21	1450
70	4	0.11	1680
74	2	-1.30	1540
81	0	-16.86	2
97	0	2.97	1963
100	4	0.50	1718
105	3	0.52	1720
113	1	1.73	1840
116	3	0.72	1740
121	4	-0.09	1660
127	4	0.11	1680
131	0	-15.11	175
134	4	-0.29	1640
138	4	-0.37	1632
141	0	2.34	1900
145	3	-0.63	1607
146	4	0.31	1700
182	0	2.34	1900
191	4	0.00	1669

MPV = 1669 +/- 22
 F-pseudosigma = 99
 N = 37
 Hu = 1740
 Hl = 1607

Table 12. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample M-124 (major constituent)--Continued
 V (Vanadium) $\mu\text{ g/L}$



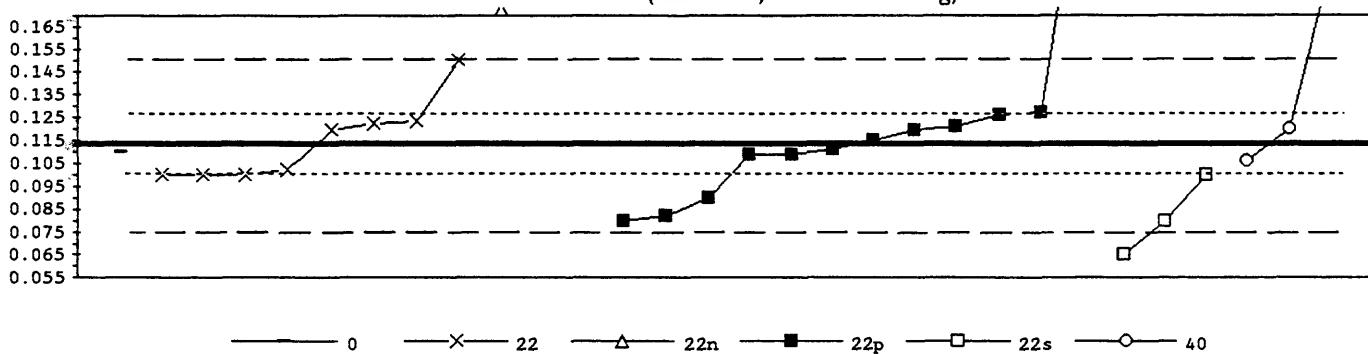
1. AA: direct air	6. ICP/MS				
3. AA: graphite furnace					
4. ICP					
	N = 0 6 17 3				
	Minimum = 7.0 0.0 6.5				
	Maximum = 46.5 15.0 8.5				
	Median = 5.9				
	St Dev = 2.6				
Lab	Rating Z-value	1	3	4	6
1	4	-0.34		6.5	
3	NR		< 10		
15	3	0.92	10.2		
16	NR		< 10		
18	3	-0.84	5.0		
32	4	0.34		8.5	
37	4	0.03		7.6	
39	3	0.51		9.0	
48	NR		< 200		
52	1	1.70	12.5		
55	2	-1.32		3.6	
57	NR		< 100		
61	3	0.68		9.5	
63	0	2.55		15.0	
68	4	0.17		8.0	
70	NR		< 10		
74	3	-0.84		5.0	
81	0	-2.53		0.0	
94	NR		< 10		
97	0	13.22	46.5		
100	3	-0.67		5.5	
101	3	0.85		10.0	
105	NR		< 25		
121	2	-1.18		4.0	
127	4	0.22	8.1		
128	3	-0.57		5.8	
133	3	-0.55		5.9	
134	4	-0.03	7.4		
136	4	-0.17	7.0		
138	3	-0.81		5.1	
141	4	-0.34		6.5	
145	1	1.83		12.9	
146	NR		< 10		
167	NR		< 30		
180	3	0.55		9.1	
182	NR		< 200		

MPV = 7.5 +/- 0.8
 F-pseudosigma = 3.0
 N = 26
 Hu = 9.5
 Hl = 5.5

Table 13.-- Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sample N-36 (nutrients)

<u>Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols</u>		
<u>Analytical methods</u>		
0. Other/Not reported		
7. IC	= ion chromatography	
22. Color:	= colorimetric [color reagent specified]	
40. Ion electrode	= specific ion electrode	
<u>Abbreviations and symbols</u>		
N =	number of samples	
St dev =	traditional standard deviation	
MPV =	95% confidence most probable value	
F-pseudosigma =	nonparametric statistic deviation	
Hu =	upper hinge value	
Hl =	lower hinge value	
mg/L =	milligrams per liter	
Lab =	laboratory code number	
NR =	not rated, less than value reported	
< =	less than	
<u>Constituent</u>		
NH3 as N	Ammonia as nitrogen	<u>Page</u>
NH3+Org N as N	Ammonia plus organic nitrogen	79 - 80
NO3+NO2 as N	Nitrate plus nitrite as nitrogen	81 - 82
total P as P	total Phosphorus as phosphorus	83 - 84
PO4 as P	Orthophosphate as phosphorus	85 - 86
		87 - 88

Table 13. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-36 (preserved nutrients)--Continued
 NH₃ as N (Ammonia) m g/L

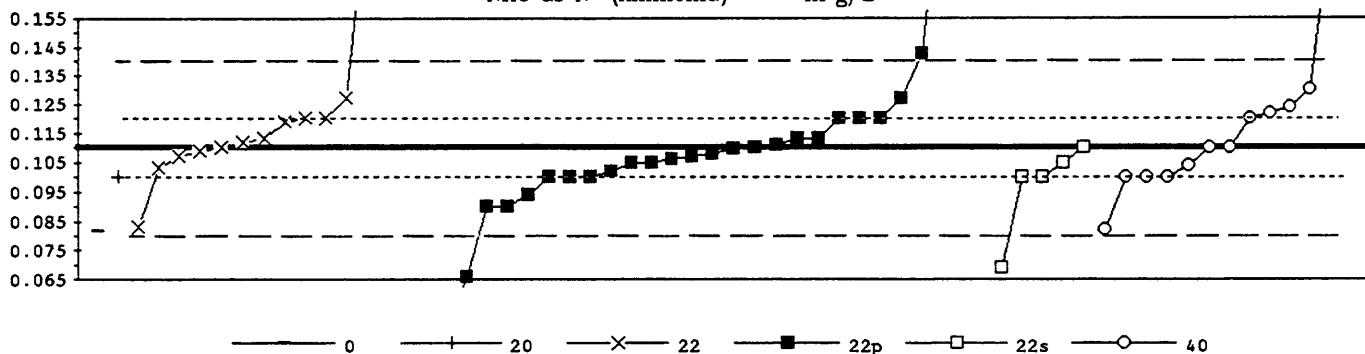


0. Other	22p. Color: indophenol
22. Color: other	22s. Color: salicylate
22n. Color: Nesslerization	40. Ion electrode
N = 1	8 3 12 3 3
Minimum = 0.110	0.100 0.173 0.080 0.065 0.106
Maximum =	0.150 0.660 0.245 0.100 0.192
Median =	0.111 0.111
St Dev =	0.018 0.017

MPV = 0.113 +/- 0.005
 F-pseudosigma = 0.019
 N = 30
 Hu = 0.126
 Hl = 0.100

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	22	22n	22p	22s	40
1	4	0.31				0.119		
11	4	-0.16	0.110					
15	4	-0.36					0.106	
20	NR	< 2						
23	4	0.42				0.121		
48	1	-1.71				0.080		
52	3	0.67				0.126		
61	4	-0.21				0.109		
68	3	-0.67		0.100				
74	4	-0.10				0.111		
75	3	0.52			0.123			
81	4	0.47			0.122			
88	0	-2.49				0.065		
89	3	0.73				0.127		
90	4	-0.21				0.109		
97	3	-0.67		0.100				
104	1	-1.61				0.082		
105	0	6.85				0.245		
118	2	-1.19				0.090		
119	0	4.10					0.192	
120	4	0.10				0.115		
129	0	3.11			0.173			
134	3	-0.67				0.100		
139	3	-0.57			0.102			
140	1	1.92			0.150			
141	3	-0.67		0.100				
145	1	-1.71				0.080		
151	4	0.36				0.120		
167	4	0.31		0.119				
182	0	15.93			0.420			
201	0	28.38			0.660			

Table 13. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-36 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued
 NH₃ as N (Ammonia) m g/L

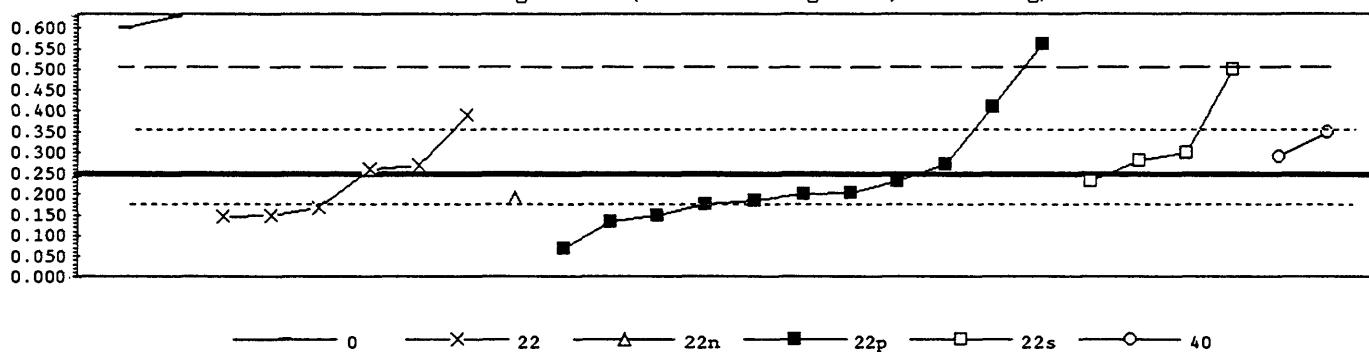


0. Other			22p. Color: indophenol					
20. Titration: color			22s. Color: salicylate					
22. Color: other			40. Ion electrode					
	N =		1	1	14	28	5	13
	Minimum =		0.082	0.100	0.083	0.039	0.069	0.082
	Maximum =				0.400	0.350	0.110	0.192
	Median =				0.116	0.107		0.110
	St Dev =				0.012	0.010		0.014
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	20	22	22p	22s	40
3	1	-1.81			0.083			
6	1	-1.88					0.082	
9	3	-0.53				0.102		
10	4	0.01					0.110	
12	NR					< 0.2		
13	4	-0.33				0.105		
15	3	0.82					0.122	
16	3	-0.66		0.100				
18	0	-4.10				0.049		
19	3	0.68			0.120			
20	NR	< 2						
21	4	-0.19				0.107		
25	3	-0.66					0.100	
28	NR	< 0.1						
32	1	-1.90	0.082					
33	3	0.68			0.120			
37	0	5.74			0.195			
38	0	6.55				0.207		
46	4	0.08				0.111		
51	4	0.01					0.110	
52	2	1.16				0.127		
55	3	-0.66				0.100		
58	3	0.95					0.124	
59	3	-0.66				0.100		
63	NR	< 0.6						
68	4	-0.46			0.103			
70	2	-1.34				0.090		
76	4	-0.33				0.105		
84	0	10.80				0.270		
85	4	-0.19			0.107			
87	3	-0.66				0.100		
88	0	-2.76				0.069		
89	4	0.21				0.113		
91	4	0.01				0.110		
92	3	0.68				0.120		
94	3	0.68				0.120		
96	4	0.21				0.113		
97	4	0.01				0.110		
100	4	-0.12				0.108		
102	3	0.68				0.120		
104	4	0.21				0.113		
107	0	2.24				0.143		
111	2	-1.07				0.094		
113	0	-2.96				0.066		
114	4	-0.39				0.104		
118	2	-1.34				0.090		
119	0	5.54					0.192	
123	0	16.20				0.350		
127	4	-0.33					0.105	
129	0	7.97				0.228		

MPV = 0.110 +/- 0.003
 F-pseudosigma = 0.015
 N = 62
 Hu = 0.120
 Hl = 0.100

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	20	22	22p	22s	40
133	2	1.36						0.130
134	3	-0.56						0.100
138	3	0.68						0.120
145	3	-0.66						0.100
149	3	-0.66						0.100
155	4	-0.01						0.110
158	0	-4.78						0.039
161	0	5.14						0.186
167	4	-0.06						0.109
180	3	0.62						0.119
182	0	19.57						0.400
185	4	-0.26						0.106
197	2	1.16						0.127
198	4	0.15						0.112
202	3	-0.66						0.100
204	4	0.01						0.110

Table 13. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-36 (preserved nutrients)--Continued
 NH₃ + Org N as N (Ammonia + Organic N) m g/L

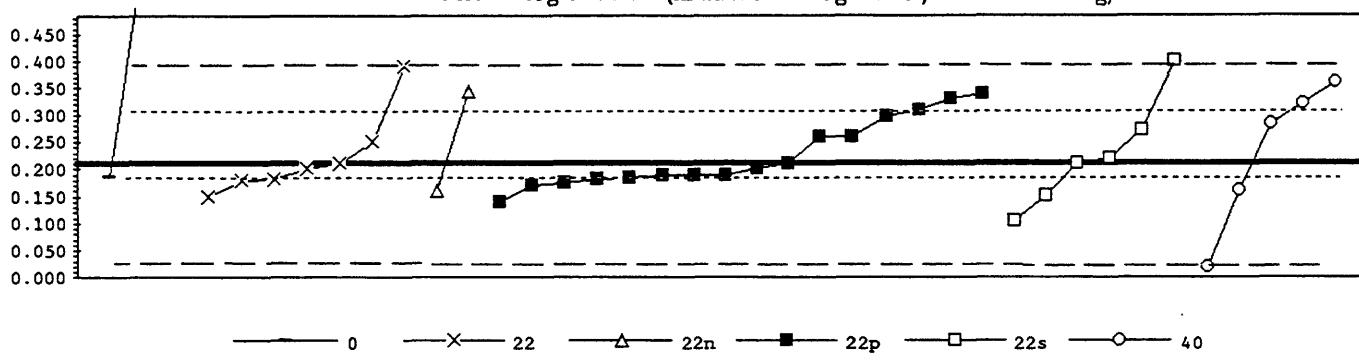


0. Other	22p. Color: indophenol
22. Color: other	22s. Color: salicylate
22n. Color: Nesslerization	40. Ion electrode
N = 2 6 1 11 4 2	
Minimum = 0.600 0.145 0.192 0.070 0.232 0.290	
Maximum = 0.630 0.390	0.560 0.500 0.350
Median =	0.200
St Dev =	0.138

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	22	22n	22p	22s	40
1	4	-0.46				0.187		
11	0	2.98	0.630					
15	4	0.34					0.290	
20	NR				< 5			
21	4	-0.12			0.231			
23	NR			< 0.5				
28	0	2.74	0.600					
48	4	-0.36			0.200			
52	2	-1.36			0.070			
56	3	-0.74			0.150			
61	4	0.19				0.271		
68	2	1.12		0.390				
74	3	-0.87			0.134			
79	1	1.97				0.500		
81	3	-0.60		0.168				
89	4	-0.11				0.232		
90	4	-0.33				0.204		
97	3	-0.74		0.150				
105	0	2.43			0.560			
118	2	1.27			0.410			
119	3	0.81				0.350		
120	3	-0.54				0.176		
129	4	-0.42		0.192				
134	4	0.26				0.280		
139	3	-0.78		0.145				
140	4	0.19		0.270				
141	4	0.11		0.260				
145	4	0.42				0.300		

MPV = 0.246 +/- 0.034
 F-pseudosigma = 0.129
 N = 26
 Hu = 0.350
 H1 = 0.176

Table 13. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-36 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued
 NH₃ + Org N as N (Ammonia + Organic N) m g/L

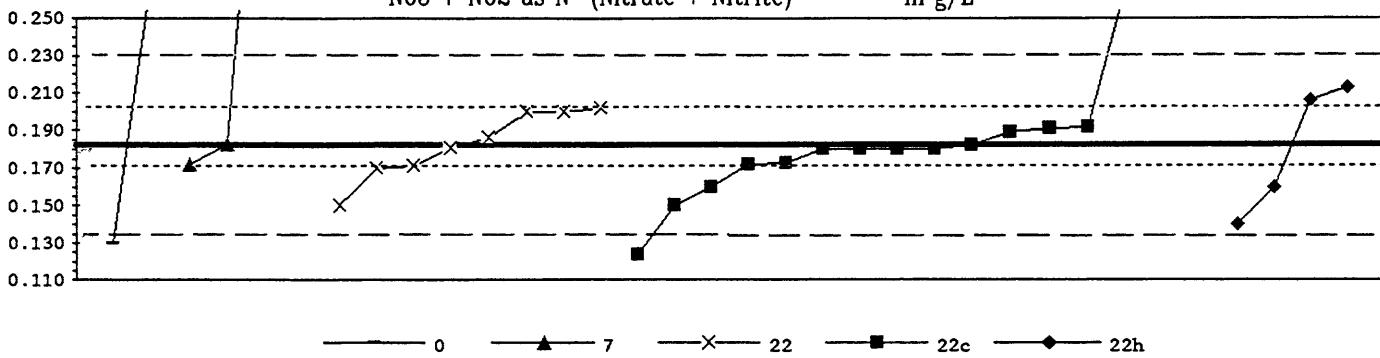


0. Other	22p. Color: indophenol
22. Color: other	22s. Color: salicylate
22n. Color: Nesslerization	40. Ion electrode
N = 3 7 2 16 6 5	
Minimum = 0.187 0.150 0.160 0.140 0.105 0.020	
Maximum = 0.900 0.390 0.345 0.340 0.400 0.360	
Median = 0.200 0.195	
St Dev = 0.080 0.063	

MPV = 0.209 +/- 0.020
 F-pseudosigma = 0.091
 N = 39
 Hu = 0.304
 Hl = 0.181

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	22	22n	22p	22s	40
3	0	3.96	0.570					
10	4	-0.21				0.190		
12	NR					< 0.3		
13	3	0.97				0.297		
15	3	0.82					0.284	
16	4	-0.24	0.187					
18	4	-0.31			0.181			
20	NR					< 5		
21	4	-0.27			0.184			
28	0	7.58	0.900					
38	3	-0.54		0.160				
46	4	-0.21			0.190			
51	1	1.66				0.360		
52	3	-0.76			0.140			
55	3	0.56			0.260			
59	0	2.09			0.400			
63	NR	< 0.09						
85	4	-0.32		0.180				
87	2	1.11			0.310			
89	3	-0.63			0.152			
91	4	-0.43			0.170			
94	4	-0.10			0.200			
96	4	-0.31	0.181					
97	3	-0.65		0.150				
100	2	1.33			0.330			
102	4	0.01			0.210			
104	4	-0.21			0.190			
113	NR				< 0.5			
118	3	0.56			0.260			
119	2	1.22				0.320		
123	2	1.44		0.340				
127	2	-1.14			0.105			
129	2	1.49	0.345					
133	3	-0.54			0.160			
134	3	0.67			0.270			
138	4	-0.10	0.200					
145	4	0.01			0.210			
155	4	-0.38			0.175			
180	4	0.00	0.209					
183	0	-2.07				0.020		
198	4	0.45	0.250					
202	4	0.12				0.220		
204	1	1.99	0.390					

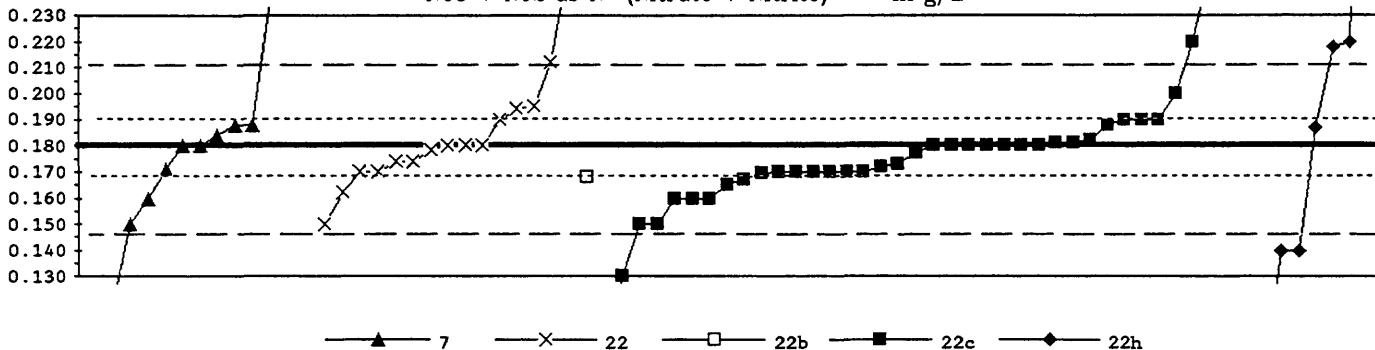
Table 13. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-36 (preserved nutrients)--Continued
 NO₃ + NO₂ as N (Nitrate + Nitrite) m g/L



0. Other	22c. Color: Cd diazo					
7. IC	22h. Color: hydrazine diazo					
22. Color: other						
	N = 2 4 8 16 4					
	Minimum = 0.130 0.172 0.150 0.124 0.140					
	Maximum = 0.270 0.520 0.202 1.200 0.213					
	Median = 0.186 0.180					
	St Dev = 0.014 0.012					
Lab	Rating Z-value	0	7	22	22c	22h
1	4 0.02				0.182	
11	0 -2.24 0.130					
20	4 0.07		0.183			
21	2 1.37			0.213		
23	4 -0.07				0.180	
28	0 14.73	0.520				
29	0 10.38	0.420				
42	4 -0.41	0.172				
43	2 -1.37		0.150			
45	4 0.41			0.191		
48	1 -1.81			0.140		
52	4 -0.37			0.173		
53	0 -2.50			0.124		
61	4 -0.07			0.180		
74	4 0.46			0.192		
75	4 -0.07			0.180		
78	0 3.72			0.267		
81	4 -0.02	0.181				
88	0 22.21			0.692		
90	2 1.07		0.206			
97	3 0.81	0.200				
105	4 -0.41		0.172			
118	3 -0.94			0.160		
119	4 -0.50		0.170			
129	4 0.33			0.189		
133	2 -1.37			0.150		
134	4 -0.07			0.180		
139	4 0.20		0.186			
140	4 -0.46			0.171		
141	3 0.81		0.200			
145	3 -0.94			0.160		
167	3 0.89		0.202			
182	0 44.32			1.200		
201	0 3.85 0.270					

MPV = 0.182 +/- 0.005
 F-pseudosigma = 0.023
 N = 34
 Hu = 0.202
 Hl = 0.171

Table 13. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-36 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued
 NO₃ + NO₂ as N (Nitrate + Nitrite) m g/L



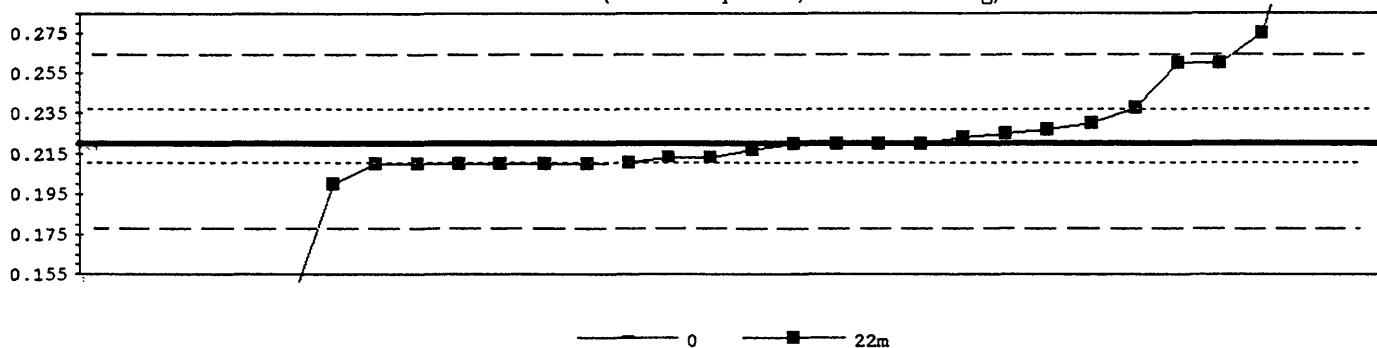
7. IC	22c. Color: Cd diazo
22. Color: other	22h. Color: hydrazine diazo
22b. Color: brucine	
N = 13 15 1 38 7	
Minimum = 0.107 0.150 0.168 0.090 0.091	
Maximum = 0.620 0.250 1.100 0.430	
Median = 0.180 0.178 0.175 0.187	
St Dev = 0.014 0.015 0.011 0.051	

Lab	Rating	Z-value	7	22	22b	22c	22h
3	1	1.96		0.212			
6	0	2.45			0.220		
8	0	2.45				0.220	
9	3	0.61			0.190		
10	4	0.00			0.180		
12	4	0.00			0.180		
13	1	-1.84			0.150		
15	0	-5.54			0.090		
16	0	4.29		0.250			
18	3	-0.80			0.167		
19	3	0.61		0.190			
20	4	0.25	0.184				
21	0	2.33			0.218		
25	4	0.49	0.188				
28	0	26.98	0.620				
29	0	3.68	0.240				
32	3	-0.55	0.171				
33	0	-3.68	0.120				
37	4	-0.12		0.178			
38	4	0.06			0.181		
42	2	-1.23	0.160				
45	4	0.00			0.180		
46	4	0.06			0.181		
51	4	0.00	0.180				
52	4	-0.49			0.172		
55	3	-0.61			0.170		
56	2	1.23			0.200		
58	0	9.26	0.331				
59	4	0.00			0.180		
63	3	0.92		0.195			
68	3	-0.61		0.170			
69	3	-0.61			0.170		
70	1	-1.84			0.150		
76	4	0.49	0.188				
78	0	4.29			0.250		
83	2	-1.23			0.160		
85	4	0.00	0.180				
87	4	0.00			0.180		
88	0	31.15			0.688		
89	4	0.49			0.188		
91	0	-2.45			0.140		
94	3	-0.92			0.165		
96	4	-0.37		0.174			
97	4	0.00		0.180			
100	3	0.61			0.190		
102	4	0.00			0.180		
104	4	-0.43			0.173		
107	3	0.61			0.190		
108	1	-1.84	0.150				
113	4	-0.18			0.177		

MPV = 0.180 +/- 0.003
 F-pseudosigma = 0.016
 N = 74
 Hu = 0.190
 Hl = 0.168

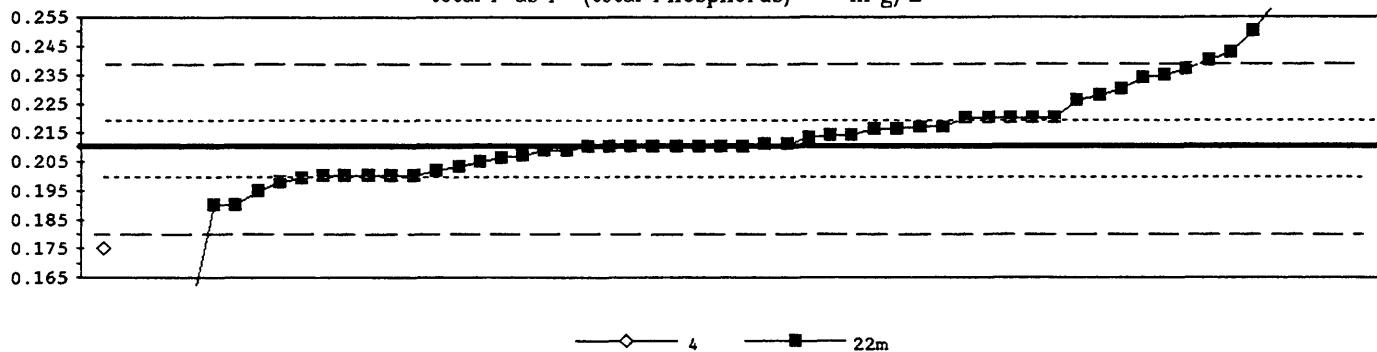
Lab	Rating	Z-value	7	22	22b	22c	22h
114	0	-5.46					0.091
118	0	-2.45					0.140
119	3	-0.61		0.170			
120	2	-1.23				0.160	
123	0	15.33					0.430
127	3	-0.61					0.170
129	4	0.12					0.182
133	0	-3.07				0.130	
134	4	0.00				0.180	
138	3	-0.61				0.170	
145	2	-1.23				0.160	
146	3	-0.74			0.168		
149	0	-4.48	0.107				
155	3	-0.66				0.169	
158	4	0.43					0.187
167	3	0.86			0.194		
180	4	-0.37			0.174		
182	0	56.41					1.100
191	1	-1.84	0.150				
193	4	0.00	0.180				
197	2	-1.10			0.162		
198	4	0.00			0.180		
202	3	-0.61				0.170	
204	3	-0.61				0.170	

Table 13. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-36 (preserved nutrients)--Continued
 total P as P (total Phosphorus) m g/L



0. Other	MPV =	0.220 +/- 0.005
4. ICP	F-pseudosigma =	0.021
22m. Color: phosphomolybdate	N =	30
	Hu =	0.238
N = 1 0 23	Hl =	0.210
Minimum = 0.300 0.110		
Maximum = 2.270		
Median = 0.219		
St Dev = 0.015		
Lab Rating Z-value 0 4 22m		
1 4 -0.14 0.217		
11 0 3.85 0.300		
15 0 -5.30 0.110		
20 4 0.00 0.220		
23 4 0.48 0.230		
28 0 < 0.1		
45 4 0.00 0.220		
48 4 -0.48 0.210		
56 4 -0.48 0.210		
61 4 0.24 0.225		
63 4 -0.48 0.210		
68 3 0.87 0.238		
74 4 0.34 0.227		
75 0 98.77 2.270		
78 0 5.78 0.340		
79 0 -4.34 0.130		
81 0 13.73 0.505		
89 4 -0.48 0.210		
92 4 -0.34 0.213		
105 4 0.14 0.223		
118 1 1.93 0.260		
119 3 -0.96 0.200		
129 4 -0.43 0.211		
133 4 -0.48 0.210		
134 4 -0.48 0.210		
139 4 -0.34 0.213		
140 0 -3.85 0.140		
141 4 0.00 0.220		
145 4 0.00 0.220		
182 1 1.93 0.260		
201 0 2.65 0.275		

Table 13. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-36 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued
total P as P (total Phosphorus) m g/L



4. ICP
22m. Color: phosphomolybdate

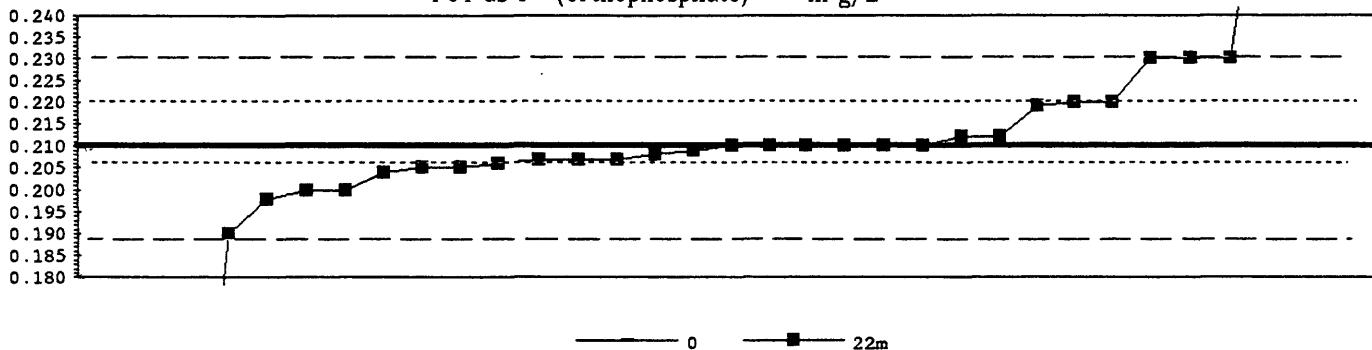
	N =	1	57
Minimum	=	0.175	0.034
Maximum	=		0.300
Median	=		0.210
St Dev	=		0.012

Lab	Rating	Z-value	4	22m
3	3	-0.81	0.198	
6	1	1.82	0.237	
8	0	6.07	0.300	
9	3	-0.74	0.199	
10	4	0.00	0.210	
12	0	3.37	0.260	
13	4	0.00	0.210	
15	0	-6.07	0.120	
16	1	1.69	0.235	
18	4	0.40	0.216	
19	4	0.00	0.210	
20	4	0.00	0.210	
21	4	0.27	0.214	
22	4	0.40	0.216	
25	0	-2.36	0.175	
28	0	< 0.1		
38	4	-0.07	0.209	
45	2	1.35	0.230	
46	4	-0.20	0.207	
51	4	-0.27	0.206	
55	4	0.00	0.210	
58	4	-0.47	0.203	
59	0	6.07	0.300	
78	4	0.27	0.214	
85	4	0.47	0.217	
87	0	-3.64	0.156	
89	4	0.00	0.210	
91	3	0.67	0.220	
92	1	1.62	0.234	
94	3	0.67	0.220	
96	2	-1.35	0.190	
97	3	0.67	0.220	
100	4	0.00	0.210	
102	0	-11.87	0.034	
104	4	0.20	0.213	
107	4	-0.34	0.205	
108	0	2.70	0.250	
111	3	-0.54	0.202	
113	2	-1.35	0.190	
114	3	-0.67	0.200	
118	0	2.02	0.240	
119	3	-0.67	0.200	
120	3	-0.67	0.200	
123	0	3.37	0.260	
127	4	0.07	0.211	
129	4	0.07	0.211	
134	3	-0.67	0.200	
138	3	-0.67	0.200	
145	3	0.67	0.220	
149	4	0.00	0.210	

MPV = 0.210 +/- 0.003
F-pseudosigma = 0.015
N = 58
Hu = 0.220
H1 = 0.200

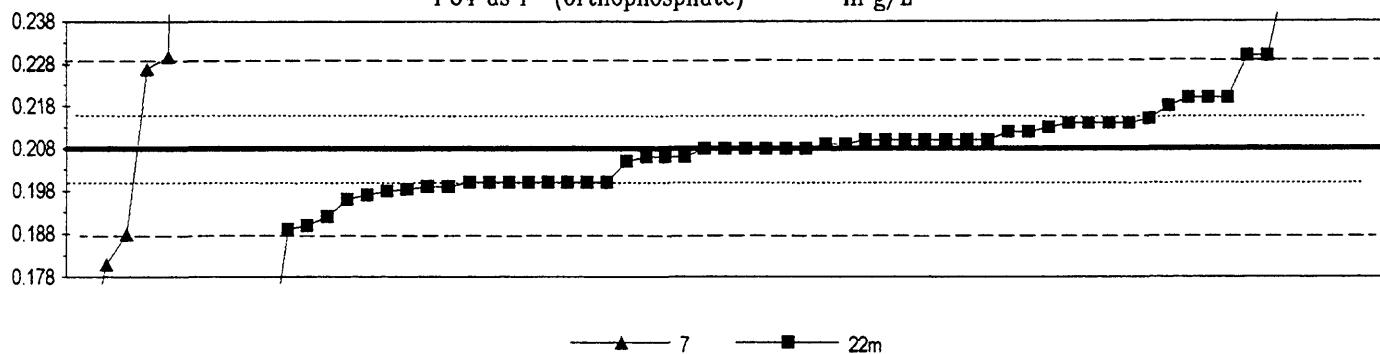
Lab	Rating	Z-value	4	22m
155	4	-0.07	0.209	
158	2	1.08	0.226	
161	2	1.21	0.228	
180	4	0.47	0.217	
182	0	3.37	0.260	
183	3	0.67	0.220	
198	2	-1.01	0.195	
202	0	-5.40	0.130	
204	0	2.23	0.243	

Table 13. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-36 (preserved nutrients)--Continued
 P04 as P (Orthophosphate) m g/L



D. Other	MPV = 0.210 +/- 0.002		
22m. Color: phosphomolybdate	F-pseudosigma = 0.010		
N = 2 31	N = 33		
Minimum = 0.270 0.115	Hu = 0.220		
Maximum = 1.200 0.450	Hl = 0.206		
Median = 0.210			
St Dev = 0.010			
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0 22m
1	3	-0.58	0.204
11	0	5.78 0.270	
15	4	-0.39	0.206
20	4	0.00	0.210
23	4	0.00	0.210
28	0	95.39 1.200	
29	0	7.71	0.290
45	4	-0.29	0.207
48	4	-0.29	0.207
52	1	1.93	0.230
56	4	0.00	0.210
61	2	-1.16	0.198
63	3	0.96	0.220
74	4	-0.48	0.205
75	4	-0.19	0.208
78	0	-9.15	0.115
81	0	18.31	0.400
88	0	23.13	0.450
89	4	-0.29	0.207
90	4	-0.48	0.205
92	3	0.87	0.219
97	1	1.93	0.230
105	4	-0.10	0.209
118	3	-0.96	0.200
119	3	-0.96	0.200
129	4	0.19	0.212
133	4	0.00	0.210
134	4	0.00	0.210
140	1	-1.93	0.190
141	3	0.96	0.220
145	4	0.00	0.210
167	4	0.19	0.212
182	1	1.93	0.230

Table 13. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-36 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued
 P04 as P (Orthophosphate) m g/L



7. IC
 22m. Color: phosphomolybdate

	N =	7	58
Minimum	=	0.160	0.066
Maximum	=	1.000	0.439
Median	=	0.188	0.208
St Dev	=	0.030	0.008

Lab	Rating	Z-value	7	22m
3	3	-0.77	0.200	
6	4	0.48	0.213	
8	0	8.86	0.300	
9	2	-1.16	0.196	
10	4	0.19	0.210	
12	4	0.19	0.210	
13	4	0.00	0.208	
15	4	0.00	0.208	
16	4	-0.19	0.206	
18	4	0.00	0.208	
19	3	-0.77	0.200	
20	4	0.19	0.210	
21	3	0.58	0.214	
25	0	2.12	0.230	
28	0	76.31	1.000	
29	0	8.86	0.300	
32	1	-1.93	0.188	
33	0	2.12	0.230	
37	0	34.40	0.565	
38	4	-0.19	0.206	
45	4	-0.29	0.205	
46	3	-0.87	0.199	
51	1	-1.83	0.189	
52	0	2.12	0.230	
55	4	0.19	0.210	
58	0	-13.68	0.066	
59	3	-0.77	0.200	
78	1	-1.54	0.192	
83	4	0.19	0.210	
85	3	0.58	0.214	
87	0	-5.01	0.156	
88	0	22.26	0.439	
89	4	0.39	0.212	
92	3	0.58	0.214	
96	3	0.67	0.215	
97	2	1.16	0.220	
100	1	-1.73	0.190	
102	4	0.19	0.210	
104	3	0.58	0.214	
107	4	0.00	0.208	
108	3	-0.77	0.200	
111	1	1.83	0.227	
113	2	-1.06	0.197	
118	3	-0.77	0.200	
119	3	-0.77	0.200	
120	3	-0.96	0.198	
127	4	-0.19	0.206	
129	4	0.10	0.209	
134	3	-0.77	0.200	
138	3	-0.77	0.200	

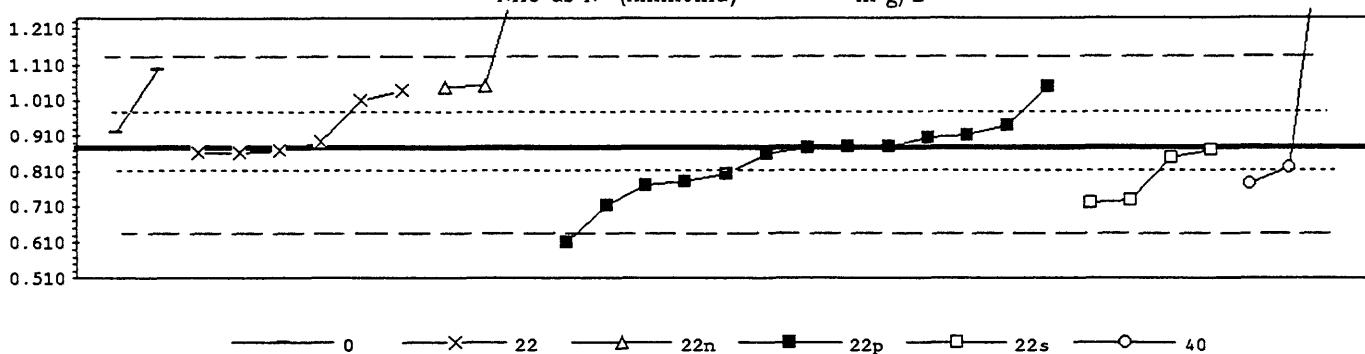
MPV = 0.208 +/- 0.002
 F-pseudosigma = 0.010
 N = 65
 Hu = 0.214
 Hl = 0.200

Lab	Rating	Z-value	7	22m
139	4	0.00	0.208	
145	4	0.19	0.210	
146	4	0.00	0.208	
155	3	-0.93	0.198	
158	4	0.39	0.212	
161	4	0.10	0.209	
167	3	-0.87	0.199	
180	3	0.96	0.218	
182	2	1.16	0.220	
183	2	1.16	0.220	
191	0	-4.63	0.160	
197	0	-2.60	0.181	
198	0	8.86	0.300	
202	0	-7.52	0.130	
204	0	4.05	0.250	

Table 14.-- Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sample N-37 (nutrients)

<u>Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols</u>		
<u>Analytical methods</u>		
0. Other/Not reported		
7. IC	= ion chromatography	
22. Color:	= colorimetric [color reagent specified]	
40. Ion electrode	= specific ion electrode	
<u>Abbreviations and symbols</u>		
N =	number of samples	
St dev =	traditional standard deviation	
MPV =	95% confidence most probable value	
F-pseudosigma =	nonparametric statistic deviation	
Hu =	upper hinge value	
Hl =	lower hinge value	
mg/L =	milligrams per liter	
Lab =	laboratory code number	
NR =	not rated, less than value reported	
< =	less than	
<u>Constituent</u>		
NH3 as N	Ammonia as nitrogen	<u>page</u>
NH3+Org N as N	Ammonia plus organic nitrogen	90 - 91
NO3+NO2 as N	Nitrate plus nitrite as nitrogen	92 - 93
total P as P	total Phosphorus as phosphorus	94 - 95
PO4 as P	Orthophosphate as phosphorus	96 - 97
		98 - 99

Table 14. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-37 (preserved nutrients)--Continued
 NH₃ as N (Ammonia) m g/L



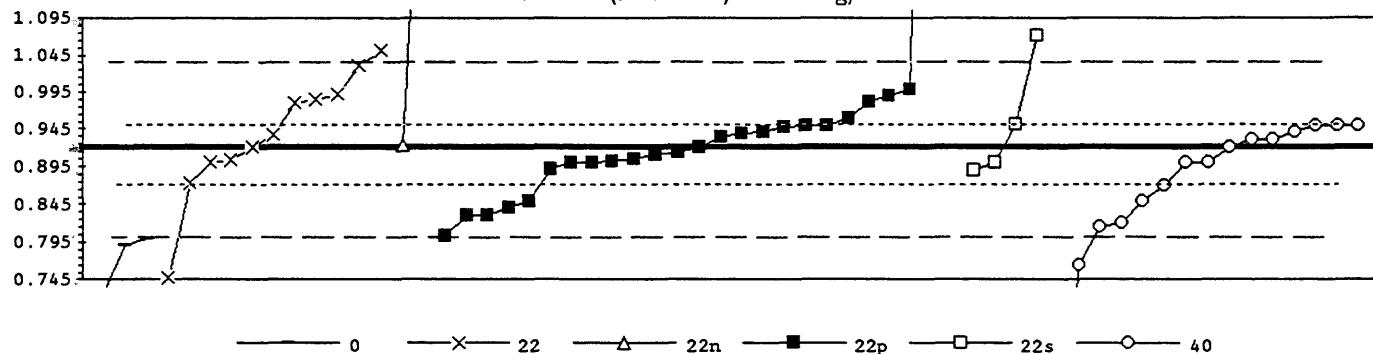
0. Other	22p. Color: indophenol
22. Color: other	22s. Colori: salicylate
22n. Color: Nesslerization	40. Ion electrode
N = 2 6 3 13 4 3	
Minimum = 0.920 0.860 1.050 0.610 0.720 0.772	
Maximum = 1.100 1.040 1.440 1.050 0.870 1.630	
Median =	0.878
St Dev =	0.089

MPV = 0.876 +/- 0.029
 F-pseudosigma = 0.121
 N = 31
 Hu = 0.974
 Hl = 0.811

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	22	22n	22p	22s	40
1	4	0.00				0.876		
11	4	0.36	0.920					
15	3	-0.86					0.772	
20	NR	< 2						
23	4	0.28			0.910			
48	0	-2.20				0.610		
52	4	0.03				0.880		
61	4	0.02				0.879		
63	1	1.85	1.100					
68	3	-0.88				0.770		
74	3	0.51				0.938		
75	4	-0.24				0.847		
81	2	1.11		1.010				
88	2	-1.22				0.729		
89	4	-0.15				0.858		
90	4	0.24				0.905		
97	4	-0.13		0.860				
104	2	-1.34				0.714		
105	2	1.44				1.050		
118	3	-0.79				0.780		
119	4	-0.46				0.820		
120	3	-0.61				0.802		
129	2	1.45		1.051				
134	4	-0.05				0.870		
139	4	-0.12		0.861				
140	2	1.36		1.040				
141	4	-0.05		0.870				
145	2	-1.29				0.720		
151	0	6.24				1.630		
167	4	0.16		0.895				
182	0	4.67		1.440				
201	2	1.44		1.050				

Table 14. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-37 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued

NH₃ as N (Ammonia) m g/L

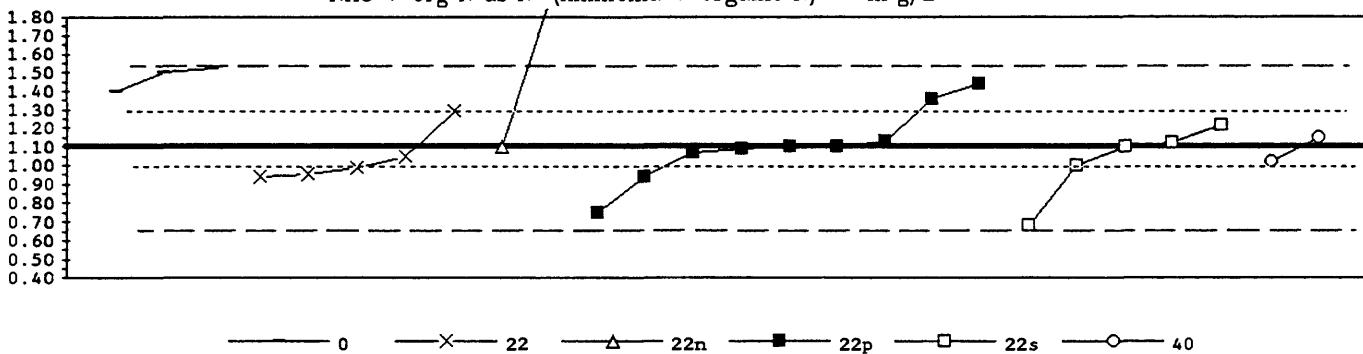


0. Other	22p. Color: indophenol						
22. Color: other	22s. Color: salicylate						
22n. Color:Nesslerization	40. Ion electrode						
	N = 3 11 2 25 4 15						
	Minimum = 0.728 0.748 0.924 0.804 0.890 0.483						
	Maximum = 0.800 1.050 1.440 2.920 1.071 0.950						
	Median = 0.937 0.914 0.920						
	St Dev = 0.052 0.053 0.048						
Lab	Rating Z-value	0	22	22n	22p	22s	40
3	3	-0.81		0.873			
6	4	-0.34			0.900		
9	2	-1.36			0.841		
10	4	0.00				0.920	
12	4	-0.34			0.900		
13	4	-0.26			0.905		
15	4	0.17				0.930	
16	0	-3.30 0.728					
18	1	-1.99			0.804		
19	4	0.00		0.920			
20	NR	< 2					
25	4	0.34			0.940		
32	0	-2.20 0.792					
33	0	2.23		1.050			
37	1	1.89		1.030			
38	4	0.48			0.948		
41	3	0.52			0.950		
46	4	-0.50			0.891		
52	2	1.20			0.990		
55	4	-0.34			0.900		
57	1	-1.72			0.820		
58	0	-2.66			0.765		
59	4	0.34			0.940		
68	4	0.17			0.930		
70	1	-1.55			0.830		
76	4	-0.10			0.914		
84	0	15.47			1.820		
85	4	-0.34	0.900				
87	2	-1.20			0.850		
88	0	2.59			1.071		
89	4	-0.17			0.910		
91	4	0.00			0.920		
92	3	0.52			0.950		
94	3	0.52			0.950		
96	4	-0.27	0.904				
97	2	1.03	0.980				
100	4	0.24			0.934		
102	3	0.69			0.960		
104	4	0.33			0.939		
111	2	1.07			0.982		
113	2	1.36			0.999		
114	1	-1.79			0.816		
118	1	-1.55			0.830		
119	3	-0.86			0.870		
123	0	34.37			2.920		
127	3	0.53			0.951		
129	4	0.07	0.924				
133	3	0.52			0.950		
134	4	-0.34			0.900		
138	3	0.52			0.950		

MPV = 0.920 +/- 0.010
F-pseudosigma = 0.058
N = 60
Hu = 0.950
Hl = 0.872

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	22	22n	22p	22s	40
145	3	-0.52					0.890	
149	4	-0.34						0.900
155	4	-0.32						
158	0	-2.96			0.748			
161	0	-7.51						0.483
167	4	0.29			0.937			
180	2	1.22			0.991			
182	0	8.94					1.440	
197	2	1.10			0.984			
198	0	-2.06 0.800						
202	2	-1.20						0.850

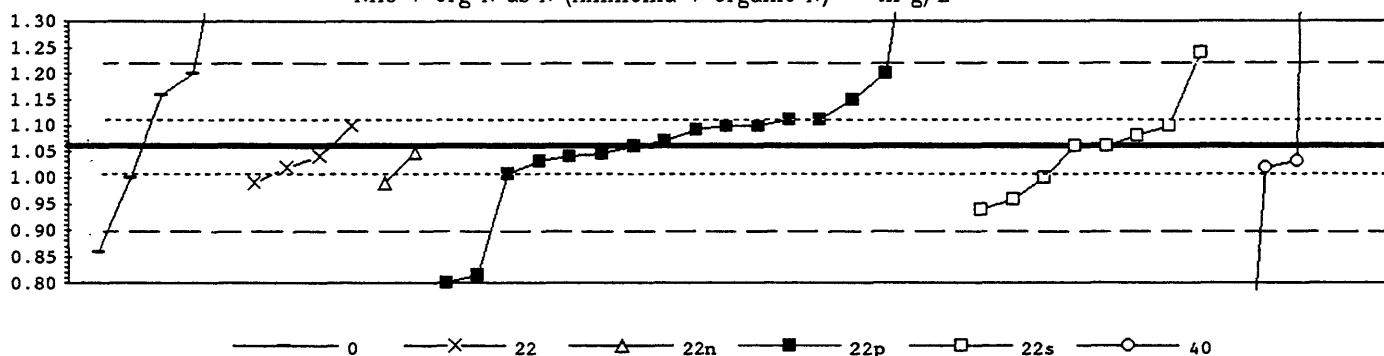
Table 14. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-37 (preserved nutrients)--Continued
 NH₃ + Org N as N (Ammonia + Organic N) m g/L



0. Other	22p. Color: indophenol
22. Color: other	22s. Color: salicylate
22n. Color: Nesslerization	40. Ion electrode
	N = 3 5 2 9 5 2
Minimum =	1.40 0.94 1.10 0.75 0.68 1.02
Maximum =	1.52 1.29 1.89 1.44 1.22 1.15
Median =	1.10
St Dev =	0.20

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	22	22n	22p	22s	40
1	4	-0.17				1.06		
11	1	1.95	1.52					
15	4	-0.37					1.02	
20	NR				< 5			
23	3	0.56				1.22		
28	1	1.85	1.50					
48	4	0.00				1.10		
52	1	-1.61				0.75		
61	3	-0.74				0.94		
63	2	1.39	1.40					
68	3	-0.70		0.95				
74	4	0.00				1.10		
79	1	-1.95				0.68		
81	3	-0.51		0.99				
89	4	-0.47				1.00		
90	4	-0.05				1.09		
97	3	-0.74		0.94				
105	1	1.58				1.44		
118	2	1.21				1.36		
119	4	0.23					1.15	
120	4	0.13				1.13		
129	0	3.65				1.89		
134	4	0.00				1.10		
139	4	-0.23		1.05				
140	3	0.88		1.29				
141	4	0.00				1.10		
145	4	0.09					1.12	

Table 14. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-37 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued
 NH₃ + Org N as N (Ammonia + Organic N) m g/L

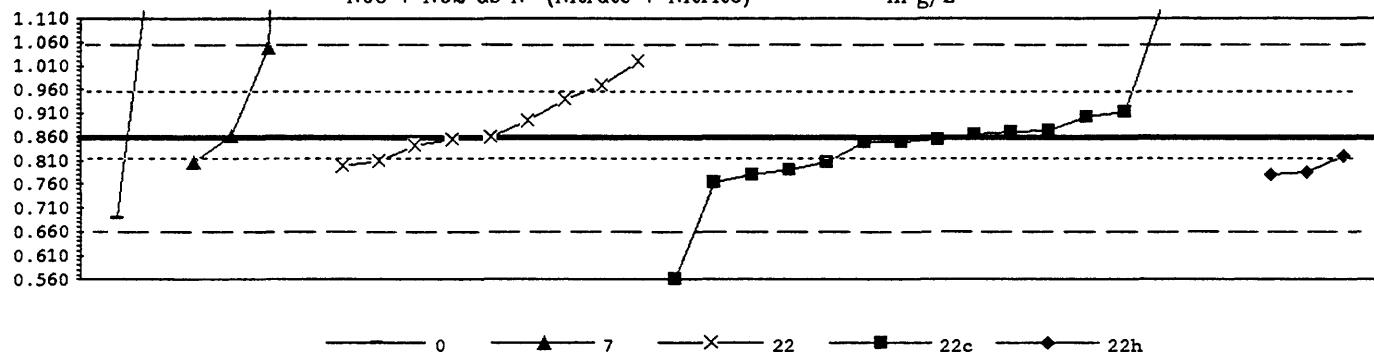


0. Other	22p. Color: indophenol
22. Color: other	22s. Color: salicylate
22n. Color: Nesslerization	40. Ion electrode
N =	5 4 2 17 8 5
Minimum =	0.86 0.99 0.99 0.80 0.94 0.21
Maximum =	1.50 1.10 1.05 2.26 1.24 5.23
Median =	1.09 1.06
St Dev =	0.05 0.09

MPV = 1.06 +/- 0.02
 F-pseudosigma = 0.08
 N = 41
 Hu = 1.11
 Hl = 1.01

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	22	22n	22p	22s	40
3	2	1.30	1.16					
9	2	1.17				1.15		
10	4	0.00				1.06		
12	0	-3.38				0.80		
13	3	0.65				1.11		
15	3	-0.52					1.02	
16	0	-2.61	0.86					
18	4	-0.18				1.05		
20	NR					< 5		
28	3	-0.78	1.00					
38	3	-0.91			0.99			
41	0	36.29					3.85	
46	4	-0.39				1.03		
52	0	-3.17				0.82		
55	3	0.52				1.10		
57	0	5.72	1.50					
59	3	-0.78				1.00		
85	3	0.52		1.10				
87	3	0.52				1.10		
89	1	-1.59					0.94	
91	4	-0.26				1.04		
94	4	0.13				1.07		
96	3	-0.92			0.99			
97	4	-0.26			1.04			
100	0	15.61				2.26		
102	3	0.65				1.11		
104	4	0.40				1.09		
113	2	-1.31					0.96	
118	1	1.82				1.20		
119	4	-0.39					1.03	
123	0	6.89			1.59			
127	4	0.26				1.08		
129	4	-0.16			1.05			
133	0	-11.06					0.21	
134	3	0.52				1.10		
138	4	0.00				1.06		
145	4	0.00				1.06		
155	3	-0.70				1.01		
180	3	-0.52	1.02					
183	0	54.25					5.23	
198	1	1.82	1.20					
202	0	2.34					1.24	

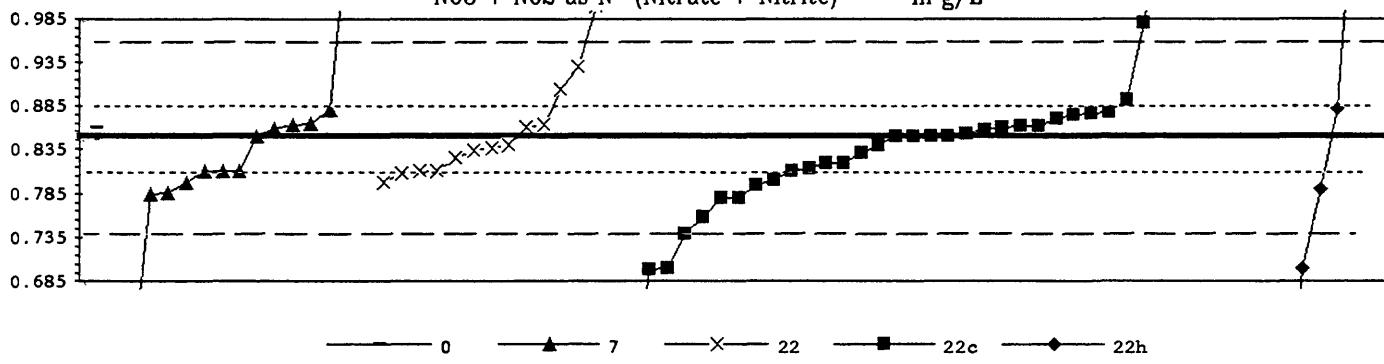
Table 14. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-37 (preserved nutrients)--Continued
 NO₃ + NO₂ as N (Nitrate + Nitrite) m g/L



0. Other	22c. Color: Cd diazo
7. IC	22h. Color: hydrazine diazo
22. Color: other	
	N = 2 4 9 16 3
	Minimum = 0.690 0.806 0.799 0.560 0.780
	Maximum = 1.312 2.700 1.020 4.100 0.820
	Median = 0.857 0.852
	St Dev = 0.081 0.047

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	22c	22h
1	4	-0.04			0.853		
11	1	-1.68	0.690				
20	4	0.07		0.863			
23	4	0.14			0.870		
28	0	18.56		2.700			
29	1	1.95		1.050			
42	3	-0.51		0.806			
43	4	0.04			0.860		
45	4	0.16			0.872		
48	3	-0.77				0.780	
52	4	-0.50			0.807		
53	3	-0.92			0.765		
61	4	-0.07			0.850		
63	1	1.65		1.020			
74	3	0.58			0.914		
75	4	0.09			0.865		
78	0	2.85			1.140		
81	4	-0.04		0.853			
88	0	4.56			1.309		
90	3	-0.72			0.785		
97	3	0.84		0.940			
105	3	-0.67			0.790		
118	4	-0.37			0.820		
119	2	1.14		0.970			
129	4	0.45			0.901		
133	0	-2.98			0.560		
134	4	-0.07			0.850		
139	3	-0.58		0.799			
140	4	-0.49			0.808		
141	4	-0.17			0.840		
145	3	-0.77			0.780		
167	4	0.38		0.894			
182	0	32.65			4.100		
201	0	4.59	1.312				

Table 14. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-37 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued
 NO₃ + NO₂ as N (Nitrate + Nitrite) m g/L



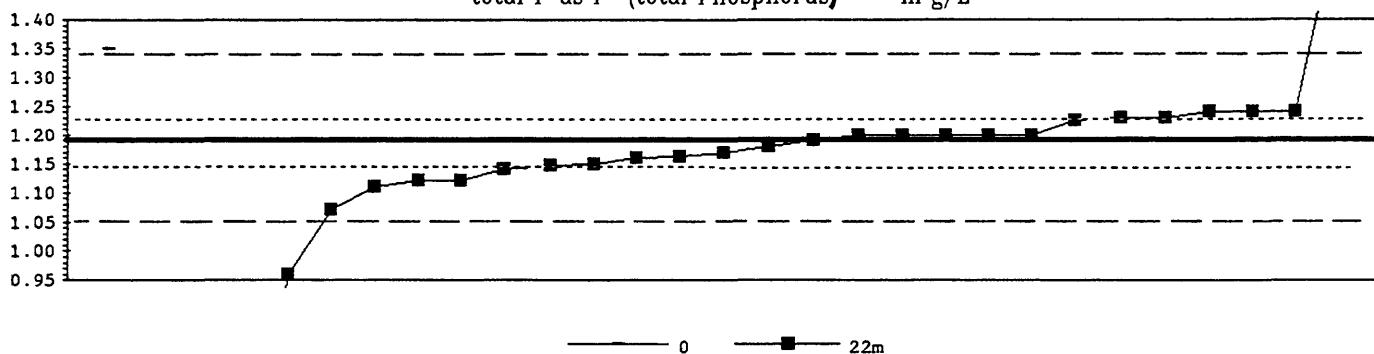
0. Other	22c. Color: Cd diazo
7. IC	22h. Color: hydrazine diazo
22. Color: other	
	N = 1 15 14 37 6
	Minimum = 0.860 0.570 0.797 0.530 0.417
	Maximum = 5.000 1.090 3.700 2.130
	Median = 0.811 0.834 0.850
	St Dev = 0.035 0.037 0.048

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	22c	22h
3	4	-0.24			0.837		
6	0	4.62			1.100		
8	0	5.73				1.160	
9	3	0.78			0.892		
10	4	0.18			0.860		
12	3	-0.55			0.820		
13	4	0.50			0.877		
15	0	5.36			1.140		
16	0	4.44			1.090		
18	3	-0.68			0.813		
19	4	0.18			0.860		
20	4	0.17			0.859		
25	4	0.28			0.865		
28	0	76.69			5.000		
29	4	0.00			0.850		
32	3	-0.72			0.811		
33	0	-5.17			0.570		
37	4	0.24			0.863		
38	4	0.22				0.862	
41	0	5.73			1.160		
42	3	-0.98			0.797		
45	4	0.44			0.874		
46	3	0.59				0.882	
52	3	-0.72			0.811		
55	3	-0.55			0.820		
57	0	-5.91			0.530		
58	0	4.81			1.110		
59	4	0.00			0.850		
68	3	-0.74			0.810		
69	4	0.37			0.870		
70	0	-2.03			0.740		
76	2	-1.20			0.785		
78	0	4.99			1.120		
83	0	-2.77			0.700		
84	0	12.94			1.550		
85	4	-0.18			0.840		
87	4	0.00			0.850		
88	0	8.59			1.315		
89	4	0.20			0.861		
91	0	-2.77				0.700	
94	2	-1.02			0.795		
96	4	-0.30			0.834		
97	2	1.48			0.930		
100	4	0.48			0.876		
102	3	-0.92			0.800		
104	4	-0.35			0.831		
108	3	-0.74			0.810		
113	0	-2.79			0.699		
114	0	-8.00			0.417		
118	2	-1.11			0.790		

MPV = 0.850 +/- 0.009
 F-pseudosigma = 0.054
 N = 73
 Hu = 0.880
 Hl = 0.807

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22	22c	22h
119	0	2.77			1.000		
120	4	-0.18				0.840	
123	0	23.65					2.130
127	4	0.04				0.852	
129	4	0.13				0.857	
133	0	2.40				0.980	
134	4	0.00				0.850	
138	4	0.00				0.850	
145	2	-1.29				0.780	
146	3	-0.98			0.797		
149	3	-0.74			0.810		
155	1	-1.69				0.759	
158	4	0.24			0.863		
161	2	-1.18			0.786		
167	3	1.00			0.904		
180	4	-0.46			0.825		
182	0	52.67				3.700	
191	3	-0.74			0.810		
193	3	0.55			0.880		
196	0	-4.93			0.583		
197	3	-0.79			0.807		
198	4	0.18	0.860				
202	2	-1.29				0.780	

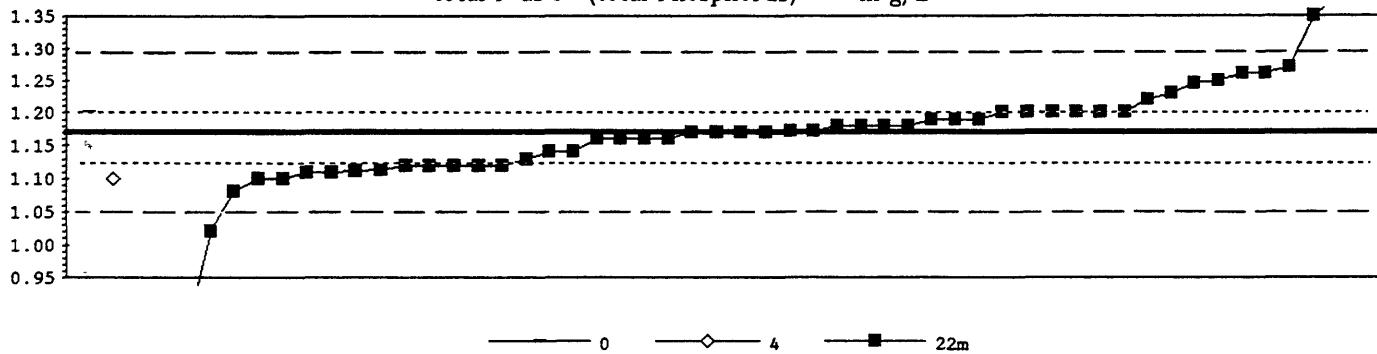
Table 14. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-37 (preserved nutrients)--Continued
 total P as P (total Phosphorus) m g/L



D. Other			
4. ICP			
22m. Color: phosphomolybdate			
	N =	1	0 28
	Minimum =	1.35	0.12
	Maximum =		3.11
	Median =		1.19
	St Dev =		0.05
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0 4 22m
1	3	0.54	1.23
11	0	2.40 1.35	
15	0	-9.44	0.56
20	3	0.75	1.24
23	3	0.60	1.23
28	0	< 0.1	
45	4	-0.45	1.16
48	4	0.15	1.20
61	3	0.60	1.23
63	4	0.15	1.20
68	0	-16.07	0.12
74	3	0.75	1.24
75	4	0.00	1.19
78	0	5.70	1.57
79	0	-3.45	0.96
81	0	28.78	3.11
89	3	-0.60	1.15
92	3	-0.66	1.15
105	4	-0.30	1.17
118	4	0.15	1.20
119	2	-1.05	1.12
129	1	-1.80	1.07
133	2	-1.20	1.11
134	4	0.15	1.20
139	4	-0.42	1.16
140	4	0.15	1.20
141	3	0.75	1.24
145	3	-0.75	1.14
182	2	-1.05	1.12
201	4	-0.16	1.18

MPV = 1.19 +/- 0.02
 F-pseudosigma = 0.07
 N = 29
 Hu = 1.23
 Hl = 1.14

Table 14. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-37 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued
total P as P (total Phosphorus) m g/L



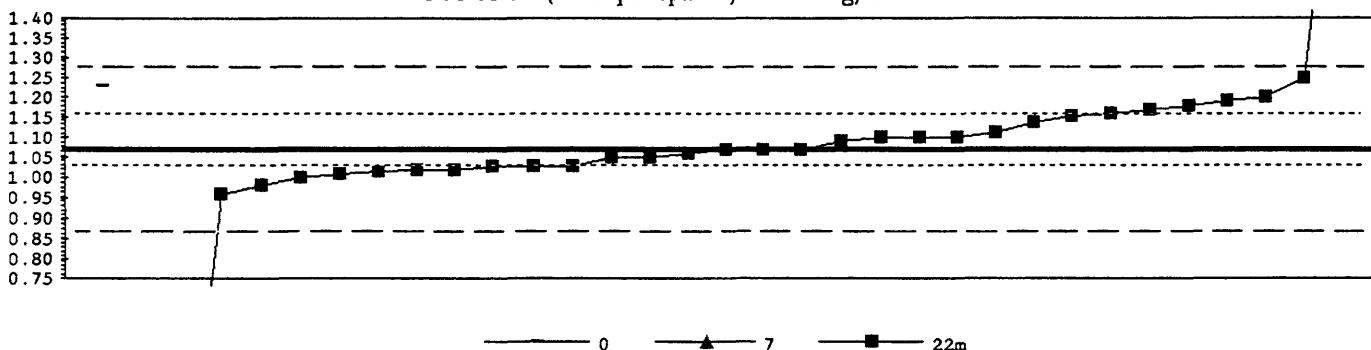
0. Other
4. ICP
22. Color: phosphomolybdate
N = 1 1 52
Minimum = 1.20 1.10 0.32
Maximum = 5.84
Median = 1.17
St Dev = 0.05

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	22m
3	1	-1.52	1.08		
6	1	1.52	1.26		
8	4	0.34	1.19		
9	4	-0.17	1.16		
10	4	0.34	1.19		
12	2	1.35	1.25		
13	4	0.00	1.17		
15	0	-9.27	0.62		
16	4	0.00	1.17		
18	4	0.00	1.17		
19	4	-0.17	1.16		
20	0	3.54	1.38		
22	4	-0.17	1.16		
25	2	-1.18	1.10		
28	0		< 0.1		
38	4	0.02	1.17		
45	3	-0.84	1.12		
46	4	-0.17	1.16		
55	3	0.51	1.20		
57	3	0.51	1.20		
58	0	-2.53	1.02		
59	2	-1.18	1.10		
78	1	1.69	1.27		
85	3	-0.67	1.13		
87	3	-0.84	1.12		
89	4	0.17	1.18		
91	3	0.51	1.20		
92	4	0.02	1.17		
94	2	1.26	1.25		
96	4	0.34	1.19		
100	4	0.17	1.18		
102	0	-14.33	0.32		
104	3	0.99	1.23		
108	1	1.52	1.26		
111	3	-0.96	1.11		
113	2	-1.18	1.10		
114	3	-0.51	1.14		
118	3	0.51	1.20		
119	2	-1.01	1.11		
120	3	-0.84	1.12		
123	4	0.00	1.17		
127	4	0.17	1.18		
129	3	-0.86	1.12		
134	3	0.51	1.20		
138	2	-1.01	1.11		
145	3	-0.51	1.14		
149	0	-5.06	0.87		
155	3	-0.99	1.11		
158	0	3.04	1.35		
161	3	0.84	1.22		

MPV = 1.17 +/- 0.01
F-pseudosigma = 0.06
N = 54
Hu = 1.20
Hl = 1.12

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	4	22m
180	4	0.17	1.18		
182	3	-0.84	1.12		
183	0	78.75	5.84		
198	3	0.51	1.20		
202	3	0.51	1.20		

Table 14. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-37 (preserved nutrients)--Continued
 P04 as P (Orthophosphate) m g/L

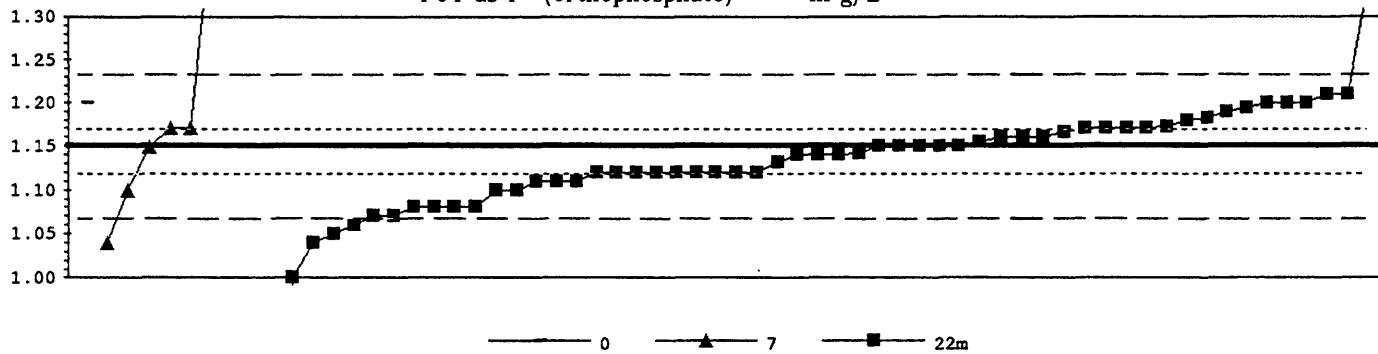


0. Other
7. IC
22m. Color: phosphomolybdate
N = 1 1 31
Minimum = 1.23 5.60 0.10
Maximum = 2.05
Median = 1.07
St Dev = 0.07

MPV = 1.07 +/- 0.02
 F-pseudosigma = 0.10
 N = 33
 Hu = 1.16
 Hl = 1.03

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22m
1	4	-0.20	1.05		
11	1	1.66	1.23		
15	4	-0.42		1.03	
20	3	0.93		1.16	
23	2	1.04		1.17	
28	0	47.01	5.60		
29	2	-1.14		0.96	
45	4	0.21		1.09	
48	0	-10.02		0.10	
52	2	1.35		1.20	
61	4	-0.42		1.03	
63	4	0.31		1.1	
74	2	1.14		1.18	
75	3	-0.73		1.00	
78	4	0.47		1.12	
81	0	10.17		2.05	
88	3	0.89		1.16	
89	4	-0.21		1.05	
90	4	0.00		1.07	
92	4	0.00		1.07	
97	3	0.73		1.14	
105	4	-0.10		1.06	
118	4	-0.42		1.03	
119	3	-0.62		1.01	
129	3	-0.55		1.02	
133	3	-0.52		1.02	
134	4	0.31		1.10	
140	3	-0.93		0.98	
141	4	0.31		1.10	
145	4	0.00		1.07	
167	2	1.26		1.19	
182	1	1.87		1.25	
201	3	-0.54		1.02	

Table 14. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample N-37 (nonpreserved nutrients)--Continued
 PO₄ as P (Orthophosphate) m g/L



0. Other
7. IC
22m. Color: phosphomolybdate
N = 1 8 55
Minimum = 1.20 1.04 0.33
Maximum = 4.10 1.34
Median = 1.15 1.15
St Dev = 0.06 0.04

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22m
3	1	-1.70	1.07		
6	4	0.33	1.16		
8	3	-0.80	1.11		
9	0	-2.15	1.05		
10	3	1.00	1.19		
12	4	0.10	1.15		
13	4	-0.12	1.14		
15	4	0.10	1.15		
16	3	-0.57	1.12		
18	4	0.46	1.17		
19	3	-0.57	1.12		
20	2	-1.47	1.08		
25	2	1.23	1.20		
28	0	66.43	4.10		
29	0	-2.37	1.04		
32	4	0.08	1.15		
33	3	0.55	1.17		
37	0	54.74	3.58		
38	4	0.12	1.15		
45	3	0.55	1.17		
46	4	-0.12	1.14		
52	0	4.37	1.34		
55	4	-0.12	1.14		
57	0	-3.27	1.00		
58	0	-18.27	0.33		
59	3	-0.57	1.12		
78	2	-1.47	1.08		
83	2	1.45	1.21		
84	3	0.55	1.17		
85	3	-0.57	1.12		
87	3	-0.57	1.12		
88	2	1.09	1.19		
89	4	0.33	1.16		
92	3	0.60	1.17		
96	2	-1.02	1.10		
97	3	0.78	1.18		
100	3	-0.57	1.12		
102	1	-1.70	1.07		
104	3	0.82	1.18		
108	2	-1.47	1.08		
111	0	5.72	1.40		
113	4	0.10	1.15		
118	1	-1.92	1.06		
119	3	-0.57	1.12		
120	3	-0.57	1.12		
127	4	0.33	1.16		
129	4	-0.08	1.14		
134	2	1.23	1.20		
138	3	-0.57	1.12		
139	4	0.21	1.16		

MPV = 1.15 +/- 0.01
 F-pseudosigma = 0.04
 N = 64
 Hu = 1.17
 Hl = 1.11

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22m
145	3	0.55		1.17	
146	3	-0.80		1.11	
155	2	-1.47		1.08	
158	4	0.10		1.15	
161	3	-0.80		1.11	
167	4	-0.33		1.13	
180	3	0.55		1.17	
182	2	-1.02		1.10	
183	2	1.45		1.21	
191	0	-2.37	1.04		
196	2	-1.02	1.10		
197	3	0.55	1.17		
198	2	1.23	1.20		
202	2	1.23	1.20		

Table 15.-- Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sample P-19 (low ionic strength constituents)

Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols

Analytical methods

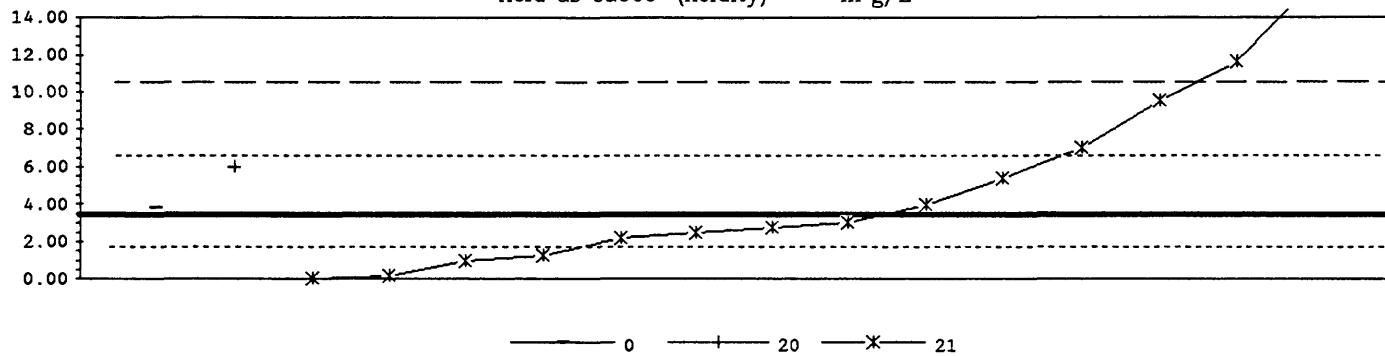
0. Other/Not reported	=	
1. AA: direct, air	=	atomic absorption: direct,air
2. AA: direct, N2O	=	atomic absorption: direct,nitrous oxide
4. ICP	=	inductively coupled plasma
5. DCP	=	direct current plasma
6. ICP/MS	=	mass spectrometry/inductively coupled plasma
7. IC	=	ion chromatography
20. Titrate: color	=	titration: colorimetric [color reagent specified]
21. Titrate: electro	=	titration: electrometric
22. Color:	=	colorimetric [color reagent specified]
40. Ion electrode	=	specific ion electrode
41. Electro	=	electrometric: [type meter specified]
50. Gravimetric	=	gravimetric: [precipitate specified]
51. Turbidimetric	=	turbidimetric: [suspension specified]

Abbreviations and symbols

N =	number of samples
St dev =	traditional standard deviation
MPV =	95% confidence most probable value
F-pseudosigma =	nonparametric statistic deviation
Hu =	upper hinge value
Hl =	lower hinge value
mg/L =	milligrams per liter
μ S/cm =	microsiemens per centimeter at 25 C
Lab =	laboratory code number
NR =	not rated, less than value reported
< =	less than

<u>Constituent</u>		<u>page</u>
Acid	Acidity as CaCO ₃	101
Ca	Calcium	102
Cl	Chloride	103
F	Fluoride	104
K	Potassium	105
Mg	Magnesium	106
Na	Sodium	107
pH		108
PO ₄ as P	Orthophosphate as Phosphorus	109
SO ₄	Sulfate	110
Sp Cond	Specific Conductance	111

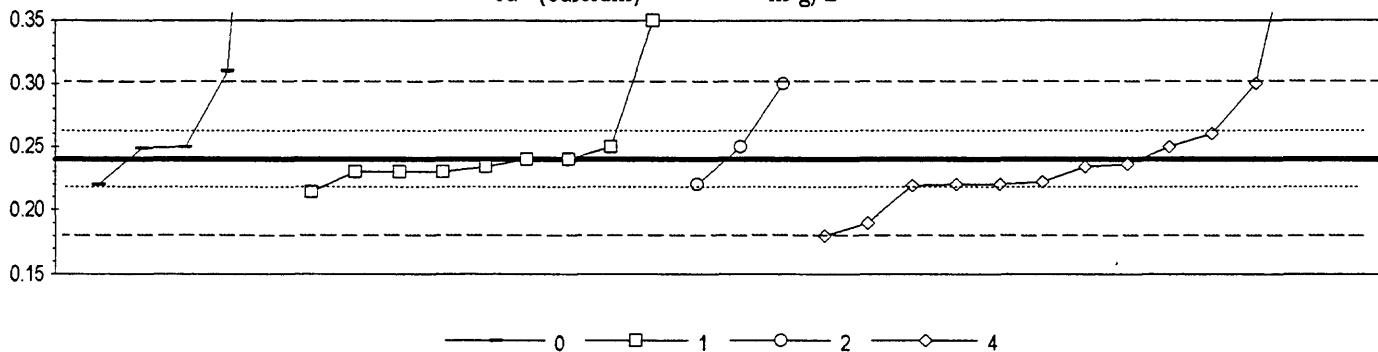
Table 15. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-19 (low ionic strength)--Continued
 Acid as CaCO₃ (Acidity) m g/L



0. Other	MPV =	3.43	+/- 1.20	
20. Titration: colorimetric	F-pseudosigma =	3.54		
21. Titration: electrometric	N =	16		
	Hu =	6.50		
	Hl =	1.72		
Lab	Rating Z-value	0	20	21
1	3	-0.96	0.02	
3	2	1.01	7.00	
11	4	0.12	3.85	
15	4	0.15	3.96	
23	4	-0.26	2.50	
38	3	-0.92	0.15	
52	0	2.31	11.60	
61	3	-0.61	1.25	
63	3	0.73	6.00	
78	3	-0.68	1.00	
89	4	-0.19	2.74	
92	4	-0.35	2.19	
105	3	0.56	5.40	
136	0	3.49	15.80	
141	1	1.71	9.50	
158	4	-0.12	3.00	

Table 15. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-19 (low ionic strength)--Continued

Ca (Calcium) m g/L



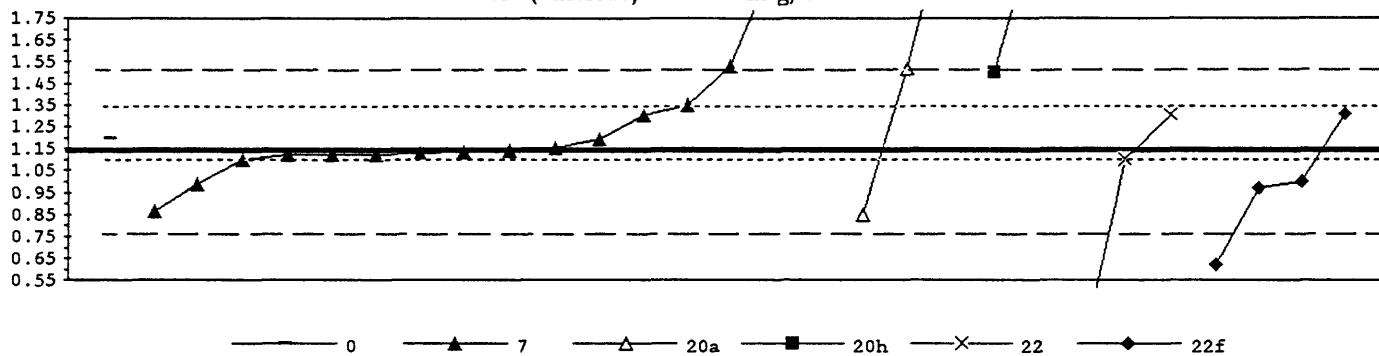
0. Other		4. ICP			
1. AA: direct air					
2. AA: direct N2O					
		N =	5	9	3 13
		Minimum =	0.22	0.21	0.22 0.18
		Maximum =	0.75	0.35	0.30 12.60
		Median =		0.23	0.22
		St Dev =		0.01	0.03
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	2 4
1	4	0.07		0.24	
2	4	0.37	0.25		
3	0	2.09			0.30
11	3	-0.61	0.22		
15	4	-0.13			0.23
23	NR		< 1		
28	0	416.91			12.60
33	4	0.40	0.25		
37	NR		< 0.244		
38	4	0.40		0.25	
39	3	0.74			0.26
46	3	-0.54			0.22
48	0	7.15			0.45
52	NR		< 0.6		
58	4	-0.27	0.23		
61	3	-0.64			0.22
63	3	-0.61		0.22	
64	3	-0.61			0.22
74	4	-0.07			0.24
78	4	-0.27	0.23		
89	3	-0.81	0.21		
92	0	3.78	0.35		
101	4	0.07	0.24		
105	4	0.40		0.25	
123	4	0.40	0.25		
134	3	-0.61			0.22
136	0	2.09		0.30	
141	1	-1.62			0.19
145	1	-1.96			0.18
155	0	17.27	0.75		
158	0	2.43	0.31		
164	4	-0.13	0.23		
167	NR			< 1	
196	4	-0.27	0.23		

MPV = 0.24 +/- 0.01
F-pseudosigma = 0.03
N = 30
Hu = 0.26
Hl = 0.22

Table 15. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-19 (low ionic strength)--Continued

Cl (Chloride)

m g/L



0. Other		20h. Titration: Hg						
7. IC		22. Color: other						
20a. Titration:Ag		22f. Color: Fe(SCN)						
		N =	1	16	3	2	3	4
		Minimum =	1.20	0.87	0.85	1.50	0.19	0.62
		Maximum =		8.00	2.30	2.20	1.30	1.31
		Median =		1.13				
		St Dev =		0.16				
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	20a	20h	22	22f
1	4	-0.04			1.13			
2	4	-0.07			1.13			
3	3	0.86				1.30		
11	4	0.32	1.20					
15	2	1.13			1.35			
28	3	0.86			1.30			
33	4	0.05			1.15			
37	NR				< 6			
42	4	0.00			1.14			
46	2	-1.48			0.87			
48	3	-0.76				1.00		
52	3	0.92				1.31		
61	0	-2.81					0.62	
63	0	-5.13				0.19		
64	3	-0.92					0.97	
74	0	2.10		1.53				
78	1	1.94			1.50			
89	0	2.05		1.52				
92	0	5.72			2.20			
101	0	6.26		2.30				
105	0	4.64		2.00				
134	4	-0.11		1.12				
136	0	37.02		8.00				
141	4	-0.22			1.10			
145	3	-0.81		0.99				
158	4	-0.22		1.10				
167	NR	< 1						
191	4	-0.09		1.12				
196	4	0.27		1.19				
197	4	-0.09		1.12				
202	1	-1.56			0.85			

MPV = 1.14 +/- 0.05
F-pseudosigma = 0.19
N = 29
Hu = 1.35
Hl = 1.10

Table 15. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-19 (low ionic strength)--Continued
 F (Fluoride) m g/L

0. Other		40. Ion electrode			
7. IC					
22. Colorimetric					
		N =	1	3	0 3
		Minimum =	0.01	0.00	0.01
		Maximum =		0.05	0.06
		Median =			
		St Dev =			
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	7	22 40
1		0.025			
3		< 0.1			
11		0.009	0		
23				< 0.1	
28		< 0.1			
33		< 0.01			
42				0.060	
46				0.013	
52				< 0.1	
61				0.015	
63				< 0.2	
74				< 0.02	
78				< 0.10	
89				< 0.100	
105		< 0.2			
134				< 1.0	
141				< 0.1	
145		< 0.20			
167				< 0.05	
196		0.051			

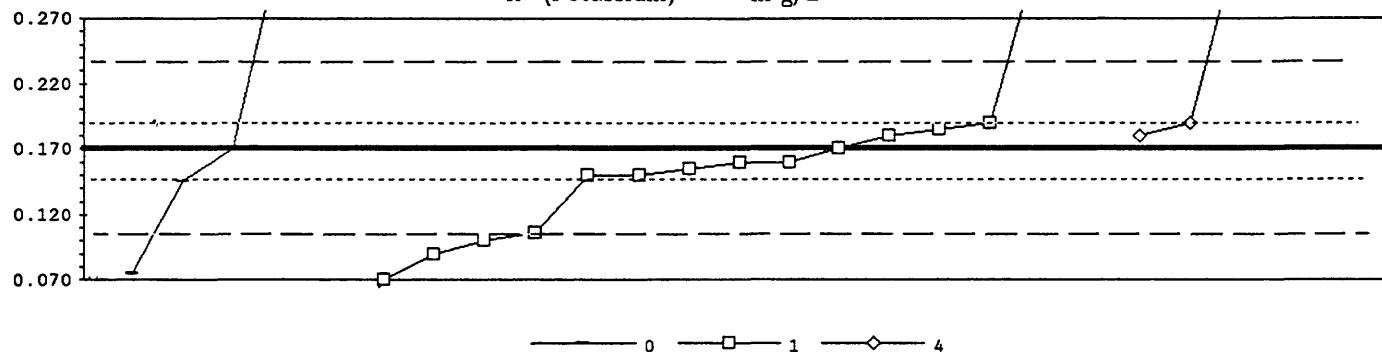
MPV = 0.020 +/- 0.015
 F-pseudosigma = 0.028
 N = 6
 Hu = 0.051
 Hl = 0.013

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Table 15. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-19 (low ionic strength)--Continued

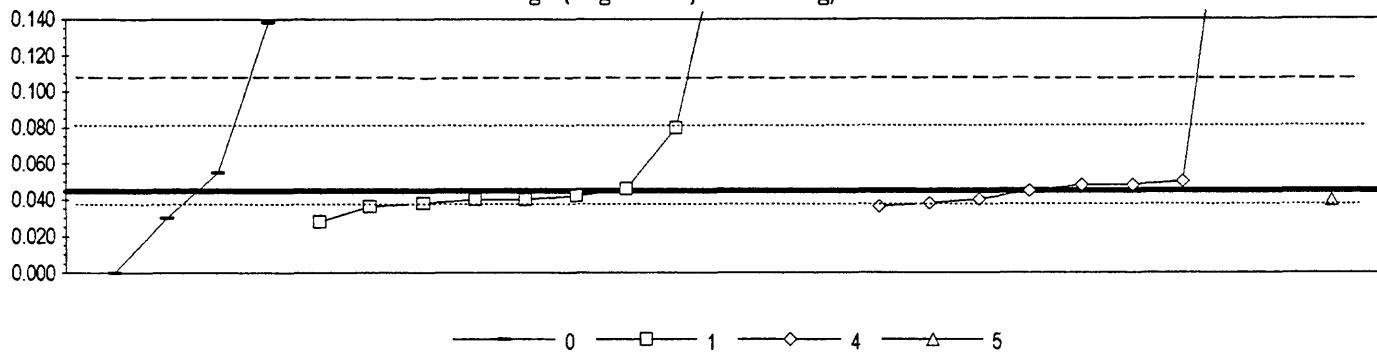
K (Potassium) m g/L



0. Other		MPV =	0.170	+/- 0.009
1. AA: direct air		F-pseudosigma =	0.033	
4. ICP		N =	25	
	N = 3 16 5	Bu =	0.190	
	Minimum = 0.075 0.015 0.180	Hl =	0.146	
	Maximum = 0.330 5.750 2.500			
	Median = 0.160			
	St Dev = 0.024			
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1
1	0	-4.75	0.015	
2	3	-0.74	0.146	
3	3	0.61	0.190	
11	0	-2.91	0.075	
15	3	-0.61	0.150	
23	4	-0.46	0.155	
28	0	71.44		2.500
33	4	0.00	0.170	
37	0	4.91	0.330	
38	4	-0.31	0.160	
46	3	0.61	0.190	
48	0	5.83	0.360	
52	NR		< 0.2	
58	4	0.31	0.180	
61	NR		< 1	
63	NR		< 0.2	
64	3	-0.61	0.150	
74	4	0.31	0.180	
78	0	-2.45	0.090	
89	4	0.46	0.185	
92	0	171.08	5.750	
101	4	-0.31	0.160	
105	NR		< 0.4	
123	0	-2.15	0.100	
134	0	4.91	0.330	
136	0	-3.07	0.070	
141	0	5.21	0.340	
145	0		< 0.1	
164	1	-1.96	0.106	
167	NR		< 1	
196	4	0.00	0.170	

Table 15. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-19 (low ionic strength)--Continued

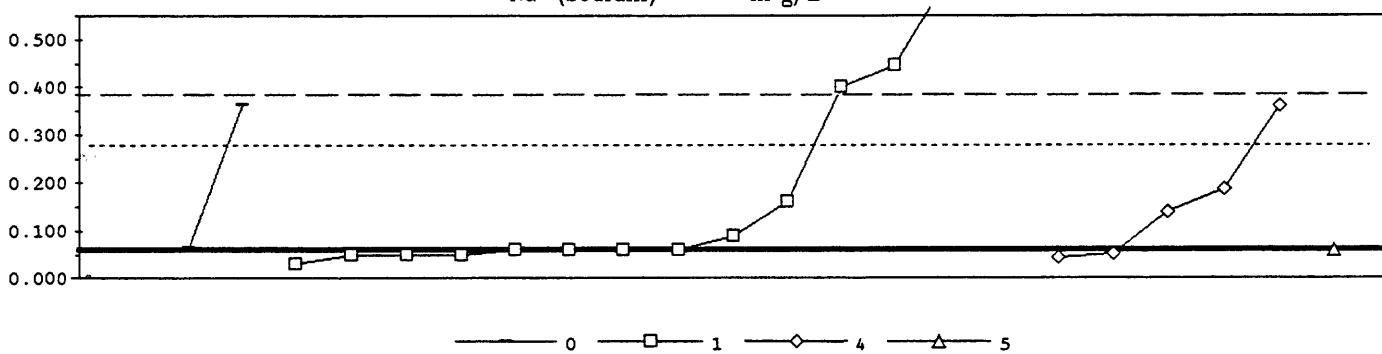
Mg (Magnesium) m g/L



0. Other		4. ICP	
1. AA: direct air	5. DCP		
2. AA: direct N2O			
		N = 4 29	0 9 1
		Minimum = 0.00 0.03	0.04 0.04
		Maximum = 0.14 7.00	2.80
		Median = 4.00	0.05
		St Dev = 2.23	0.91
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0 1 2 4 5
1	4	-0.22	0.038
2	4	0.32	0.055
3	NR		< 0.1
11	4	-0.48	0.030
15	4	0.10	0.048
23	NR	< 0.2	
28	0	88.49	2.800
33	4	-0.16	0.040
37	0	2.99	0.138
38	4	0.03	0.046
39	4	0.10	0.048
46	4	-0.22	0.038
48	0	6.58	0.250
52	NR		< 0.05
58	3	-0.55	0.028
61	NR		< 1
63	NR		< 0.2
64	4	-0.16	0.040
74	4	0.16	0.050
78	0	13.33	0.460
89	4	-0.29	0.036
92	2	1.12	0.080
101	4	-0.16	0.040
105	4	0.00	0.045
123	4	-0.16	0.040
134	4	-0.29	0.036
136	0	4.98	0.200
145	NR		< 0.025
155	NR	-1.45	0.000
164	0	9.43	0.339
167	NR		< 1
196	4	-0.10	0.042

MPV = 0.045 +/- 0.008
F-pseudosigma = 0.031
N = 25
Hu = 0.080
Hl = 0.038

Table 15. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-19 (low ionic strength)--Continued
 Na (Sodium) m g/L



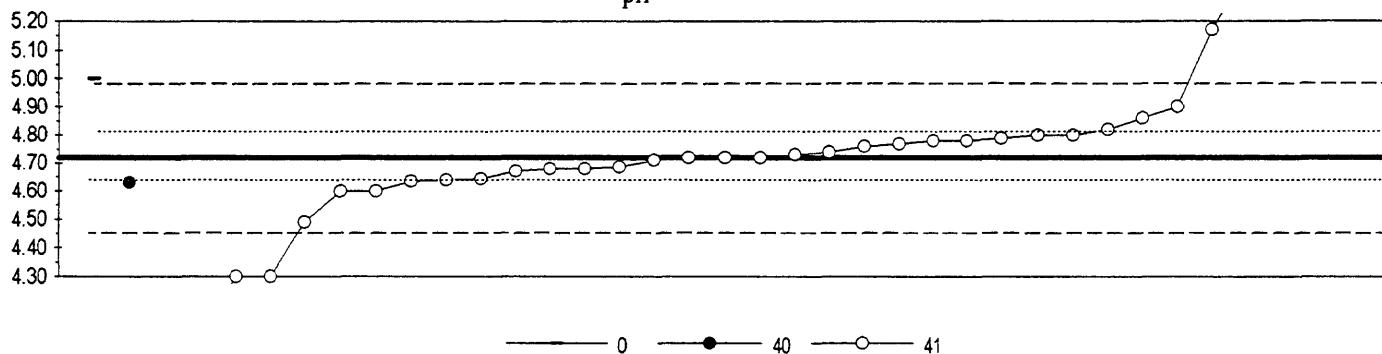
0. Other	5. DCP
1. AA: direct air	
4. ICP	
N =	3 14 5 1
Minimum =	0.060 0.030 0.043 0.060
Maximum =	0.364 1.800 0.360
Median =	0.060
St Dev =	0.036

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	1	4	5
1	4	-0.07	0.049			
2	4	0.04	0.066			
3	0	10.74		1.800		
11	4	0.00	0.060			
15	3	0.79		0.188		
23	NR		< 0.1			
33	4	0.00		0.060		
37	1	1.88	0.364			
38	4	0.00		0.060		
39	4	-0.06		0.051		
46	4	-0.10		0.043		
48	1	1.85		0.360		
52	NR		< 0.03			
61	NR		< 1			
63	0	3.52	0.630			
64	4	0.00	0.060			
74	4	0.49		0.140		
78	3	0.62		0.160		
89	4	-0.06		0.050		
92	0	2.10	0.400			
101	4	-0.06	0.050			
105	NR		< 0.2			
123	4	-0.19	0.030			
134	4	0.19	0.090			
136	4	0.00	0.060			
145	NR		< 0.04			
164	0	2.38	0.446			
167	NR		< 1			
196	4	0.00	0.060			

MPV = 0.060 +/- 0.046
 F-pseudosigma = 0.162
 N = 23
 Hu = 0.274
 Hl = 0.056

Table 15. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-19 (low ionic strength)--Continued

pH



0. Other
40. Ion electrode
41. Electrometric
N = 1 1 35
Minimum = 5.00 4.63 3.79
Maximum = 7.80
Median = 4.72
St Dev = 0.09

MPV = 4.72 +/- 0.03
 F-pseudosigma = 0.13
 N = 37
 Hu = 4.81
 Hl = 4.64

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	40	41
1	3	-0.60		4.64	
2	4	-0.27		4.69	
3	2	1.09		4.86	
11	0	2.19	5.00		
15	0	-7.27		3.79	
23	0	5.16		5.38	
28	2	1.41		4.90	
33	4	0.31		4.76	
37	0	10.32		6.04	
38	3	0.63		4.80	
39	0	3.52		5.17	
41	0	20.18		7.30	
42	4	0.00		4.72	
46	4	-0.31		4.68	
48	0	24.09		7.80	
52	4	0.47		4.78	
58	4	-0.39		4.67	
61	3	0.78		4.82	
63	0	-3.28		4.30	
64	4	0.00		4.72	
74	3	-0.63		4.64	
78	3	0.55		4.79	
89	4	0.08		4.73	
92	4	0.39		4.77	
101	1	-1.80		4.49	
105	4	0.47		4.78	
123	3	0.63		4.80	
134	4	-0.31		4.68	
136	3	-0.94		4.60	
141	3	-0.94		4.60	
145	0	-4.85		4.10	
155	0	-3.28		4.30	
158	3	-0.70	4.63		
164	3	-0.66		4.64	
167	4	0.16		4.74	
197	4	0.00		4.72	
202	4	-0.08		4.71	

Table 15. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-19 (low ionic strength)--Continued
 P04 as P (Orthophosphate) m g/L

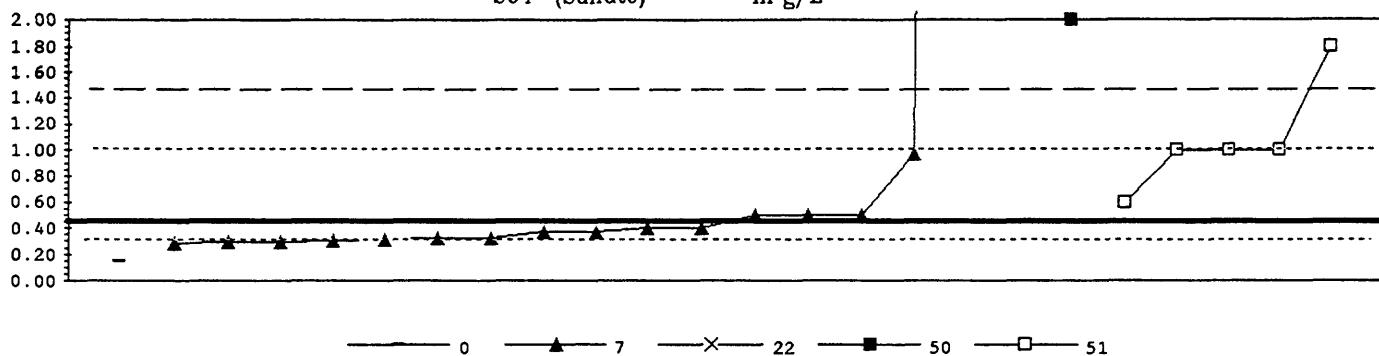
0. Other	22. Colorimetric
7. IC	22m. Color: phosphomolybdate
20. Titration: Color	
N =	0 0 0 1 6
Minimum =	0.003 0.000
Maximum =	0.101
Median =	
St Dev =	
Lab	Rating Z-value
1	0 0.003
3	< 0.01
11	< 0.02
23	< 0.01
28	< 0.1
33	< 0.01
37	< 0.3
38	0.001
46	< 0.002
48	< 0.005
52	< 0.005
58	0.003
61	< 0.02
63	< 0.01
74	< 0.002
78	< 0.05
89	0.101
92	< 0.005
105	< 0.002
134	< 0.01
141	< 0.05
145	< 0.01
155	0.000
167	0.025
196	< 0.03
202	0.011

MPV = 0.003 +/- 0.006
 F-pseudosigma = 0.012
 N = 7
 Hu = 0.018
 Hl = 0.002

INSUFFICIENT DATA

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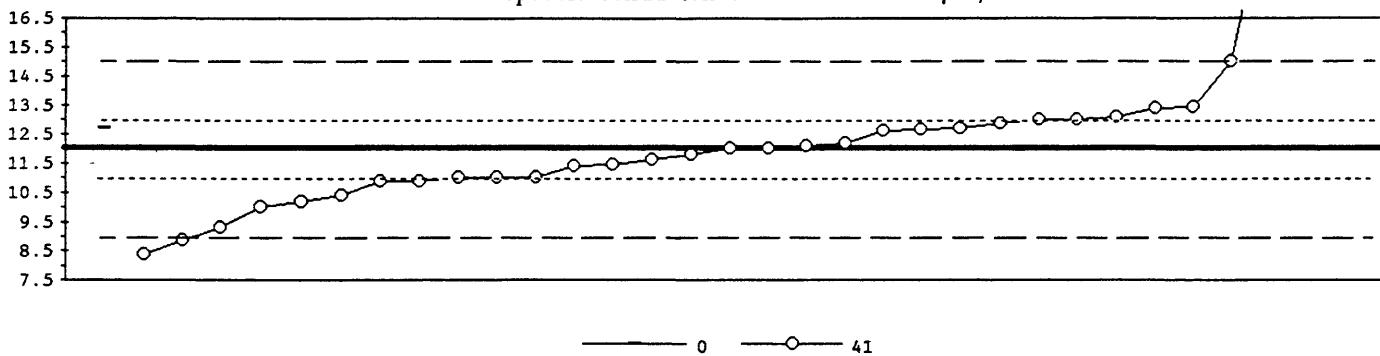
Table 15. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-19 (low ionic strength)--Continued
 SO₄ (Sulfate) m g/L



0. Other		50. Gravimetric	
7. IC		51. Turbidimetric	
22. Color: methyl thymol blue			
		N =	1 16 1 1 5
		Minimum =	0.15 0.28 6.63 2.00 0.60
		Maximum =	63.00 1.80
		Median =	0.37
		St Dev =	0.17
Lab	Rating	Z-value	0 7 22 50 51
1	4	-0.26	0.32
2	4	-0.30	0.30
3	4	0.10	0.50
11	3	-0.59	0.15
23	4	0.30	0.60
28	4	0.10	0.50
33	4	-0.25	0.32
37	NR		< 6
46	4	-0.25	0.32
48	2	1.09	1.00
52	NR		< 10
61	0	2.67	1.80
63	0	3.07	2.00
64	4	-0.29	0.30
74	4	0.09	0.50
78	2	1.09	1.00
89	NR		< 2
92	2	1.09	1.00
105	2	1.03	0.97
134	4	-0.15	0.37
136	0	123.64	63.00
141	NR		< 5
145	4	-0.09	0.40
158	4	-0.09	0.40
164	4	-0.29	0.30
167	0	12.22	6.63
196	4	-0.16	0.37
197	4	-0.33	0.28

MPV = 0.45 +/- 0.14
 F-pseudosigma = 0.51
 N = 24
 Hu = 1.00
 H1 = 0.32

Table 15. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample P-19 (low ionic strength)--Continued
 Specific Conductance



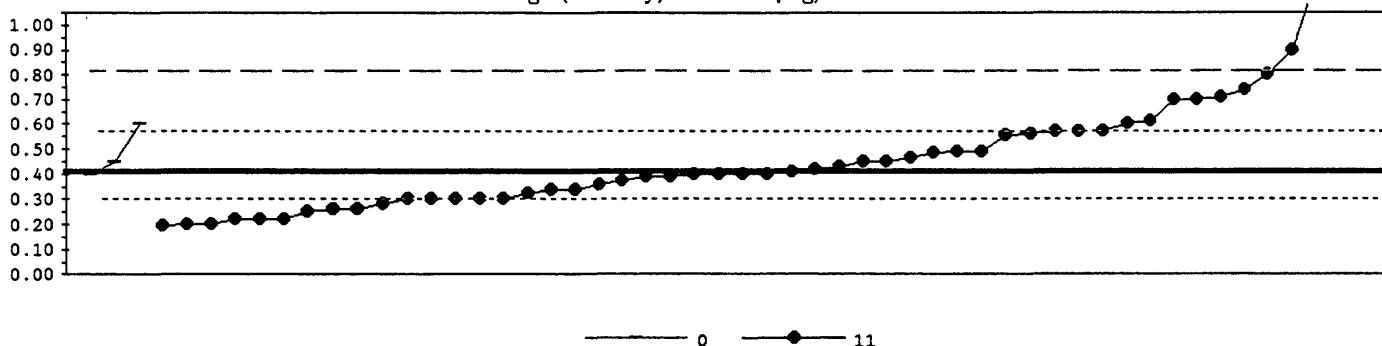
0. Other	MPV =	12.0 +/- 0.3
41. Electrometric	F-pseudosigma =	1.5
	N =	33
	Hu =	13.0
	Hl =	11.0
	N =	1 32
	Minimum =	12.7 8.4
	Maximum =	132.0
	Median =	12.0
	St Dev =	24.3

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	41
1	4	0.44	12.7	
2	3	-0.76	10.9	
3	3	-0.67	11.0	
11	4	0.47	12.7	
15	3	0.74	13.1	
23	4	0.07	12.1	
28	0	-2.43	8.4	
33	4	0.13	12.2	
37	4	-0.13	11.8	
38	4	-0.40	11.4	
39	3	-0.67	11.0	
42	0	80.94	132.0	
46	4	0.40	12.6	
48	3	-0.76	10.9	
52	3	0.94	13.4	
58	4	0.00	12.0	
61	2	-1.08	10.4	
63	3	-0.67	11.0	
74	4	0.47	12.7	
78	0	-2.10	8.9	
89	2	-1.21	10.2	
101	0	47.08	81.8	
105	0	2.02	15.0	
123	3	0.61	12.9	
134	3	0.67	13.0	
136	1	-1.82	9.3	
141	3	0.67	13.0	
145	2	-1.35	10.0	
155	3	0.96	13.4	
158	4	0.00	12.0	
167	4	-0.27	11.6	
197	4	-0.38	11.4	
202	0	6.21	21.2	

Table 16-- Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference sample Hg-15 (Mercury)

<u>Definition of analytical methods, abbreviations, and symbols</u>	
<u>Analytical methods</u>	
0. Other/Not reported	
11. AA: cold vapor	= atomic absorption: cold vapor
<u>Abbreviations and symbols</u>	
N = number of samples	
St dev = traditional standard deviation	
MPV = 95% confidence most probable value	
F-pseudosigma = nonparametric statistic deviation	
Hu = upper hinge value	
Hl = lower hinge value	
μ g/L = micrograms per liter	
Lab = laboratory code number	
NR = not rated, less than value reported	
< = less than	
<u>Constituent</u>	
Hg	Mercury
<u>page</u>	
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Table 16. --Statistical summary of reported data for standard reference water sample Hg-15 (mercury)--Continued
 Hg (Mercury) $\mu\text{ g/L}$



0. Other	MPV =	0.41	$+/-$	0.04
11. AA: Cold vapor	F-pseudosigma =	0.20		
	N =	54		
	Minimum =	0.20		
	Maximum =	2.85		
	Median =	0.40		
	St Dev =	0.16		

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	11
1	4	-0.32	0.34	
3	3	0.97	0.60	
11	0	7.97	2.00	
12	2	1.47	0.70	
13	3	0.79	0.56	
16	4	0.22	0.45	
18	4	-0.32	0.34	
24	3	-0.52	0.30	
28	4	-0.02	0.40	
29	3	-0.92	0.22	
32	3	0.82	0.57	
36	4	0.41	0.49	
37	3	0.76	0.56	
39	NR	< 0.5		
45	4	-0.08	0.39	
46	4	-0.16	0.37	
48	NR	< 0.2		
51	3	-0.92	0.22	
52	4	0.42	0.49	
55	4	0.31	0.47	
59	3	-0.52	0.30	
61	4	-0.02	0.40	
63	4	0.41	0.49	
68	2	-1.02	0.20	
69	3	-0.92	0.22	
70	3	-0.52	0.30	
74	4	-0.42	0.32	
75	3	0.82	0.57	
87	3	-0.52	0.30	
89	3	-0.70	0.26	
90	1	1.67	0.74	
92	4	0.12	0.43	
96	4	-0.02	0.40	
97	3	-0.72	0.26	
100	3	-0.52	0.30	
105	4	-0.22	0.36	
108	2	1.02	0.61	
109	4	0.02	0.41	
113	4	0.22	0.45	
119	3	0.82	0.57	
120	4	-0.07	0.39	
127	4	0.06	0.42	
128	1	1.97	0.80	
133	2	1.47	0.70	
134	3	-0.62	0.28	
136	0	2.47	0.90	
138	4	-0.02	0.40	
139	0	12.22	2.85	
141	4	0.22	0.45	
144	3	-0.77	0.25	

MPV = 0.41 $+/-$ 0.04
 F-pseudosigma = 0.20
 N = 54
 Hu = 0.57
 Hl = 0.30

Lab	Rating	Z-value	0	11
146	2	-1.05	0.20	
149	4	-0.02	0.40	
167	1	1.52	0.71	
179	2	-1.02	0.20	
182	3	0.97	0.60	
196	0	3.97	1.20	
202	NR		< 0.3	

Table 17. --Most probable values for constituents and properties in standard reference samples distributed in October 1992

[MPV, most probable value; ug/L microgram per liter; mg/L milligram per liter; uS/cm. microsiemen per centimeter at 25 degrees Celsius]

T-121 (trace constituents)

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>MPV</u>	<u>F-pseudosigma</u>	<u>Analyte</u>	<u>MPV</u>	<u>F-pseudosigma</u>		
Ag	0.90	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	0.36	Li	25.0	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	2.2
Al	85.5	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	12.9	Mg	1.24	m g/L	0.07
As	8.00	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	1.11	Mn	28.5	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	2.2
B	90	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	9	Mo	12.0	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	1.8
Ba	46.3	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	4.3	Na	7.19	m g/L	0.30
Be	10.6	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	1.0	Ni	8.29	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	1.26
Ca	5.13	m g/L	0.28	Pb	7.75	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	1.03
Cd	7.17	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	1.05	Sb	7.61	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	1.20
Co	4.6	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	0.7	Se	8.12	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	1.41
Cr	16.0	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	1.6	SiO ₂	4.64	m g/L	0.26
Cu	4.80	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	0.67	Sr	44.0	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	4.9
Fe	140	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	12	V	4.00	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	0.76
K	0.45	m g/L	0.06	Zn	18.0	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	2.7

M-124 (major constituents)

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>MPV</u>	<u>F-pseudosigma</u>	<u>Analyte</u>	<u>MPV</u>	<u>F-pseudosigma</u>		
Alkalinity	234	m g/L	5	Na	166.0	m g/L	6.0
B	294	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	34	total P	0.110	m g/L	0.013
Ca	154	m g/L	9	pH	8.47		0.08
Cl	82.8	m g/L	2.4	SiO ₂	19.4	m g/L	1.1
DSRD	1309	m g/L	33	SO ₄	621	m g/L	23
F	0.93	m g/L	0.07	Sp Cond	1738	$\mu\text{ S/cm}$	88
K	13.9	m g/L	1.0	Sr	1669	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	99
Mg	58.4	m g/L	2.7	V	7.5	$\mu\text{ g/L}$	3.0

N-36 (preserved nutrients)

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>MPV</u>	<u>F-pseudosigma</u>	<u>Analyte</u>	<u>MPV</u>	<u>F-pseudosigma</u>		
NH ₃ as N	0.113	m g/L	0.019	NH ₃ as N	0.110	m g/L	0.015
NH ₃ +OrgN as N	0.246	m g/L	0.129	NH ₃ +OrgN as N	0.209	m g/L	0.091
NO ₃ +NO ₂ as N	0.182	m g/L	0.023	NO ₃ +NO ₂ as N	0.180	m g/L	0.016
total P as P	0.220	m g/L	0.021	total P as P	0.210	m g/L	0.015
PO ₄ as P	0.210	m g/L	0.010	PO ₄ as P	0.208	m g/L	0.010

N-37 (preserved nutrients)

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>MPV</u>	<u>F-pseudosigma</u>	<u>Analyte</u>	<u>MPV</u>	<u>F-pseudosigma</u>		
NH ₃ as N	0.876	m g/L	0.121	NH ₃ as N	0.920	m g/L	0.058
NH ₃ +OrgN as N	1.10	m g/L	0.22	NH ₃ +OrgN as N	1.06	m g/L	0.08
NO ₃ +NO ₂ as N	0.857	m g/L	0.099	NO ₃ +NO ₂ as N	0.850	m g/L	0.054
total P as P	1.19	m g/L	0.07	total P as P	1.17	m g/L	0.06
PO ₄ as P	1.07	m g/L	0.10	PO ₄ as P	1.15	m g/L	0.04

P-19 (low ionic strength constituents)

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>MPV</u>	<u>F-pseudosigma</u>	<u>Analyte</u>	<u>MPV</u>	<u>F-pseudosigma</u>		
Acidity	3.43	m g/L	3.54	Na	0.060	m g/L	0.162
Ca	0.24	m g/L	0.03	pH	4.72		0.13
Cl	1.14	m g/L	0.19	PO ₄ as P		insufficient data	
F		insufficient data	SO ₄	0.45	m g/L	0.51	
K	0.170	m g/L	0.033	Sp Cond	12.0	$\mu\text{ S/cm}$	1.5
Mg	0.045	m g/L	0.031				

Hg-15 (mercury)

<u>Analyte</u>	<u>MPV</u>	<u>F-pseudosigma</u>
Hg	0.41	$\mu\text{ g/L}$